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"It's like a little happy family behind the scenes," reports mayor's secretary

Mayor's secretary, Louise Babb, gives peek at hectic job

By M.J. RICHARDS
Virginia Beach Sun Staff Writer

When Louise Babb began her first day as Mayor Meyera Oberndorf's secretary three years ago, she was nervous.

"When I first came in to be introduced to her, I was nervous. I was in awe of who I would be working with," said Babb. "She was very warm and laid the groundwork for me. She is a very savvy business woman. She let me know what to do, and ever since, I've been on my toes."

Perot camp organizing; local rally set

Burbick says Perot needs to raise funds

By M.J. RICHARDS
Virginia Beach Sun Staff Writer

Christina Burbick has no experience in politics, but she has suddenly found herself as co-chair of the Virginians for Perot campaign and for the second Congressional District in Virginia.

Burbick, a Great Neck Road area resident, said she is working with more than 11,000 second congressional district Virginia Beach volunteers to help get the name of Ross Perot, a Texas billionaire, on the Virginia presidential election ballot in November. To do so, there must be 14,000 registered voters' signatures on petitions favoring Perot's name on the ballot.

Burbick, Bob Low, also co-chair and an Oceanfront resident, Lance De St. Croix, precinct captain who works on Laskin Road, have already collected more than 10,000 petition signatures from Norfolk and Virginia Beach residents, and are aiming for 100,000.

Although Ross Perot has not yet

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Now, Babb handles 20 to 50 phone calls daily, processes about 50 invitations, helps plan the mayor's schedule, sifts through about 60 pieces of mail and types the mayor's dictated letters each day.

"The phones and the scheduling take most of the time," Babb smiled. "The phone rings off the

between the mayor and the public. "I'm just a one-girl office," she said. Telephone calls range from complaints about public utilities to meetings with the governor or other legislators.

"You get the whole gamut," said Babb. "You get sweet little old ladies, you get people with emo-

events going on around her keeps her busy, and she is never bored.

"It's exciting, very exciting," she said. "I love my job. It's a challenge."

For Babb, keeping up with the mayor's schedule is a high priority.

The mayor's day may begin at 7 a.m. and not end until as late as 11 p.m.

The most hectic time for Babb was during her first summer, following the Laborfest riot.

"There was so much going on," she said. "I was working with the calls, the mayor, the media. After that, I knew I could handle anything."

Fridays, on the average, are the slowest days, with Mondays being "the worst."

"You can't get emotional. I have to be even with everybody. There has to be screening."

Mayor Meyera Oberndorf's secretary, Louise Babb

hook. It makes for a long day to do the administrative work."

Because the mayor is not given a full staff, including a receptionist, it is Babb's job to act as a buffer

tional problems calling. You get people calling saying you're doing a swell job - 'Atta girl' kind of calls. That's a really good feeling."

Babb said that the variety of



As Mayor Meyera Oberndorf's secretary, Louise Babb handles between 20 and 50 phone calls, 60 pieces of mail and 50 invitations each day.

For Babb, Tuesdays are her favorite, the days of City Council meetings.

"My favorite days are City Council (meeting) days, because they are in there all day. We joke around in the office... we guess about how long it will take," Babb said. "I love Tuesdays because

that's my time to get it all done and stacked on my desk."

By the time the mayor completes her council meeting, Babb will have the following week's schedule, complete with paper copies or correspondence and pertinent information, ready for the mayor's review.

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Congressmen coming for local tourism summit

A biennial Congressional Summit on Tourism will be held on Friday and Saturday, June 12 and 13, at the Cavalier.

Hosted by the Southeast Tourism Society, several members of the Congressional Travel and Tourism Caucus are expected to attend.

Congressman Neil Abernethy (D-HI), chairman of the Caucus' Study Group on Taxes, and Congressman Bill Brewster (D-OK), chairman of the Caucus' Study Group on Economic Development, will be on the conference program to make presentations on the Congressional agenda related to these topics.

Congressman Tom Bevill (D-AL) will moderate round table discussions with STS members and members of Congress concerning legislation that affects tourism in the Southeast. Other member of Congress already scheduled to attend the conference are Representatives Charlie Rose (D-NC) and Bob Clement (D-TN).

Representatives of several federal agencies have been invited to discuss federal programs related to tourism and recreation. Agencies scheduled to have representatives at the conference include the Fish and Wildlife Service, the Federal Highway Administration, the Corps of Engineers, the Forest Service, and the National Park Service.

For additional information concerning the Summit, contact Bill Hardman with the STS at 404-255-0472.

The beach is safe



Virginia Beach Sun staff photo

Memorial Day weekend was beautiful. The next one, however, was different.

Beach declared safe; investigating continuing

Devices were not life-threatening

Virginia Beach Sun Managing Editor

A life-threatening situation?

"No, probably not," said Chase Sargent, a Virginia Beach Fire Department battalion chief.

But for a moment, definitely scary.

The beach is safe now, Sargent reported early this week, but last Sunday afternoon around 21st Street, people weren't so sure.

Three, possibly four, small silver cubes with round corners were discovered. A five-year-old boy found the first one, tossed it, and a small explosion ensued. The explosion was not strong enough to kill anyone, Sargent said, but could have maimed.

Police and fire units evacuated the area and searched. Lifeguards were subsequently briefed, trained and they also policed the area.

No other devices were found.

An investigation is continuing Sargent said, adding that there are "several suspects" at this time.

The explosive devices have been identified as a group of match heads surrounded by cardboard. This in turn was covered by many layers of silver duct tape. It appears that friction is the initiator for setting off the matches, causing them to burn rapidly.

Virginia Beach Fire Department Investigators are still following several leads regarding the placement of these devices and the responsible parties.

For more information call 427-0000.

Stripping the Strip of unwanted "cruisers"

Language, noise and behavior led to council's vote

By LEE CAHILL

Virginia Beach Sun City Council Reporter

Cruising, that manifestation of the unfettered, irresponsible self-absorption of youth whose purpose in life is instant gratification, has been banned from the resort strip.

With that taken care of, the hotel guests, the family types of the resort likes to attract, will be able to walk across the street in safety, tourists will be able to reach the stores with ease, and diners will be successful in reaching their destination without exposure to a gauntlet of cars with noise streaming out of the windows.

And all will be spared the language that emanates from the car windows. And most important, if an emergency arises along the oceanfront, fire trucks, police vehi-

cles and rescue units will have a way to get through to help.

That's the idea, but the two police officers who sit on City Council and have had some experience with enforcing laws, apparently have their doubts that the ordinance will work. They voted against it. So did Councilwoman Nancy Parker, whose home is close to

may not be the cause of the problems. He said that it's a blanket ordinance that would be hard to enforce, and that the city has been able to alleviate the traffic problem some by diverting traffic to less favored streets.

As for the ability of emergency vehicles to respond, he said that traffic engineering is responsible. He said that the city needs to return to the center turn lane concept. He said the cruising ban is an attempt at using a broad brush for a quick fix.

Councilman James W. Brazier, Jr., a police captain, said nothing about the cruising ordinance but expressed his viewpoint during the discussion of a proposed permit parking ordinance which would restrict parking in residential areas near the resort strip to residents.

He said that people are exhorted to come to the Beach, but then they're told, don't park; don't ride around. He said that the city is going through a lot of trouble coming



Not everyone likes the Atlantic Avenue traffic.

up with all these rules.

The retailers, the innkeepers and the restaurateurs were all for the ordinance.

Bobbie Vakos, representing a group of business interests, said that the people who visit the beach should be allowed to enjoy them-

selves without being confronted by noise, confusion and questionable behavior. He said that other areas have taken similar measures to discourage cruising. He said that after spending \$7 million to improve the resort area, and another \$2 million to promote the Beach's image of good, clean, fun, the city can't afford not to do something.

Rick Anioia, representing the Hotel/Motel Association, said that the gridlock that results from cruising lowers the response time of safety vehicles. He said that the cruisers even ignore the pedestrian crosswalks and sit on the intersection during light changes. They

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Editorials

Pride in parenting

Saint Mary's Infant home is offering free parenting classes for parents with children under the age of 1. Classes run two hours each once a week for eight weeks.

The purpose of the class is to help parents learn to communicate better with their babies - especially those who are first-time parents.

Classes will begin on Thursday, June 25 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Thalia Lynn Baptist Church, 4932 Virginia Beach Boulevard, and run through Thursday, August 13.

Pride in Parenting classes help the parents learn new techniques in discipline and communication. Forming a close bonding relationship between parents and their babies early in the child's life sets a solid groundwork for future relationships.

For the parents of older children, those 1 to 5 years-old, free Early Childhood STEP classes are being offered.

Classes are 90 minutes each, and meet once a week for seven weeks.

A STEP class will be offered on Tuesdays beginning on June 23 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at Thalia Lynn Baptist Church and ending on August 4.

Old Dominion Episcopal Church will host a Wednesday night class starting on July 15 from 9:30 to 11:30 p.m. through August 12. The church is located at 4449 North Witchduck Road.

Saint Mary's Infant Home offers the classes so that parents can learn to be better ones.

For more information, or to sign up for classes, call 627-8866. — M.J.R.

Voting makes a difference

As the presidential election campaign heats up, candidates are making a mad scramble to appeal to as many Americans as possible.

Unfortunately, many Americans do not even vote, and many more are not registered voters.

Some people do not vote because they are not happy with the choices. In order to make a democracy work, however, it is incumbent upon a country's citizens to care about who runs the country.

Rather than focusing on what scandals each person has allegedly been involved in, it is the candidate's stance on the issues that will really matter in the long run.

These days, most political candidates have at least one skeleton hanging in their closets. Issues such as taxes, a pro-life or pro-choice stance, education and foreign policy seem to have taken a back seat to who is faithful to their spouses, how much money candidates have in their campaign funds and various insignificant statements made, that are taken out of context.

Rather than focusing on negative characteristics, people should focus on the positive ones. Rather than asking what someone did in his or her past, isn't it more important to know what the person's plans are for the future?

By looking ahead, rather than into the past, Virginia Beach residents may find a candidate that they would like to support.

It is important to vote in the election, and a vote for one candidate takes away a vote for another. If the voter does not like one candidate's policies, then the person should vote for someone else.

Someone is going to win the election. Apathy will not keep any candidate from being elected — only votes for his or her opponent will. — M.J.R.

Cruising

The Virginia Beach City Council recently passed an ordinance prohibiting cruising on Atlantic Avenue.

Hopefully, this new restriction, if properly enforced, will cut down on the amount of vehicular traffic on Atlantic Avenue and make it a less congested area.

Although "cruisers" may simply migrate to other areas, the ordinance will make it safer for pedestrians on Atlantic Avenue and relieve the traffic problem which seems to suddenly build up at dark.

Enforcement may be difficult in the beginning, but once people realize it is for the safety and peace of mind of year-round residents and merchants, people will be less rambunctious and sarcastic about the idea.

If each person does his or her part, Atlantic Avenue may once again become a safe and fun part of the beach, not one that many choose to avoid. — M.J.R.

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ON WHAT'S IN THE NEWS...

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WHO'S UP FRONT WHEN IT
COMES TO HIS DOUGH...



AND WE'LL ANSWER YOU,
"WELL, YES AND NO..."

My best friend's baby, Justin, has a lot to face in his lifetime, but with lots of love, he will make it

Justin Daniel Timberlake - 7 pounds, 4 ounces, 21 inches, one week old and ready to face the world.



Slice of
Life

My best friend, Laurie, called me last week, exhausted and thrilled at the same time. She and her husband, Robb, had their very first baby.

Rob and Laurie live in Omaha, Nebraska, where my family lived during my high school years. Six years ago, we moved to Ohio, but Laurie and I have remained close friends. We write and call and send each other gifts every birthday and Christmas.

Two years ago, I had the privilege of being in Laurie's wedding. At that

time, I could hardly believe she was getting married. My best buddy, who I used to have slumber parties with, watch sad movies and listen to goofy old songs, was going to be a wife.

Now, my best friend is not only a

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wife, she's a mom. She has brought a little life into the world and has the privilege of watching him grow.

Justin has a lot to face in the world today. Things have changed so much since I was born 22 years ago. He will have choices to make that were not even thought of

when I was growing up.

Yet, Justin has something many children don't have growing up today. He has parents who love God, each other and him. They waited impatiently until he was born and have welcomed him into their home.

Justin also has grandparents and other relatives who love him dearly. Some people think a child will be spoiled by too much love; but I think this love will build his self-esteem and security. He will be able to face bad situations with confidence that it's okay to do the right thing.

So many families today are falling apart and as a result, many children are at a loss of not knowing what to do so they turn to drugs and alcohol and other means to get the security and happiness they are looking for.

While there is no concise, easy answer to today's complex problems, many of them could be lessened if people would concentrate first on making their family a place of love and security.

Justin - never forget how blessed you are. You are loved and wanted and I can't wait till I can come visit both you and your mother.

Just A Chat with Deborah Walsh

Debbie Walsh is a guidance counselor for children in kindergarten through sixth grade. She has been at Hermitage Elementary School for three years. She has also taught kindergarten and first grade, and has been with the Virginia Beach school system for 16 years.

Walsh said that there are many challenges facing today's children, because of the uniqueness of their families.

"Families are unique, whether it's one or two parent families or extended family members. We have working parents, dual income homes, children that have to take care of themselves and siblings before and after school," said Walsh.

Walsh said the purpose of the school counselor is "to help the child become an effective and efficient learner and help deal with these everyday pressures."

Name: Deborah Walsh.

Nickname: Debbie.

Occupation: Hermitage Elementary School guidance counselor.

Neighborhood: Wesleyan Chase.

Hometown: Northern Virginia.

How long have you lived in Virginia Beach: 16 years.

Last city you lived in before moving to Virginia Beach: Springfield, Virginia.

Age: 37.

Marital status: Married to Rick for 14 years.

Children: Michael, 11, and Megan, 8.

What you love about your job: Working with the children.

What you hate about your job: Not being able to fix everybody's problems.

If you didn't have your current job, you would be a: Kindergarten teacher.

Biggest accomplishment in your life: Having two wonderful children.

Secret to success: Be happy, never lose your sense of humor and be organized.

If you could change one aspect of your life to make it better, what would it be: Add more hours to an existing day, so I could accomplish everything I want to accomplish.

What most people don't know about you is: That I love quilting and I quilt every free minute that I have. Best personality trait: A good outlook on life.

Worst personality trait: Compulsive.

Biggest quirk: Sometimes I talk to myself.

Pet peeve: People who do not act responsibly.

If you had your life to live over again, what would you do differently: I don't think I would do anything differently.

If you won the lottery, what would you do with the money: I would probably take my family on an extensive tour of the 50 states.

Fun evening: Playing cards, drinking Margaritas with friends and eating Mexican food.

Fun weekend: Going to Busch Gardens with my family, relaxing at home watching old movies and

quilting.

Dream vacation: Week in the Bahamas with my husband.

Favorite magazine: People.

I drive a: Ford Taurus Station Wagon.

Dream car: Mercedes Benz convertible.

Favorite sport: Tennis.

Your favorite sports team: Washington Redskins.

Who do you most admire: My parents, John and Helene Bullard.

What do you like to do to relax after a hard day's work: Turn on CNN and drink a Diet Coke.

Your favorite food and drink: Anything Mexican and Diet Coke.

Food you hate the most: Pickled beets.

Favorite restaurant: Chi-Chi's.

Favorite food to cook: Honey pecan chicken.

Favorite television program: Murphy Brown.

Favorite movie: The Way We Were.

Your favorite type of music: Soft rock.

Favorite entertainer: Billy Joel.

Favorite article of clothing: Sweats.

The happiest time in your life, so far: When my children were born.

If you were to become famous, what would you want to be famous for: Helping others in some way.

What is the most fun time you have had in the past week: Playing cards with friends.

If you could pick just two of the following, which would you pick: brains, looks, a good personality or wealth? Brains and a good personality.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing the world: Parents not being actively involved with their children.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing Virginia Beach: Parents not being actively involved with their children's education.

What do you like most about Virginia Beach: The lifestyle. It's a nice pace of living.

If you could spend 10 minutes alone with the President George Bush, what would you talk about? Funding for education.

Off The Record

Where was Robb's head years ago?

By GREG GOLDFARB
Virginia Beach Sun Managing Editor

It seems that still, everyone at the Beach is discussing U.S. Senator Charles Spital Robb. What a goofy name - almost as goofy as his political war with Governor L. Douglas Wilder.

If people aren't talking about the two men, and I'm around, I'll sometimes bring it up for a laugh. Although this can be serious, career-ending business. But what better topic of conversation than speculating about scenarios revolving around sex, drugs, politics and power.

As of now, color Robb gone. He lost it mentally back in the 1980s and now he'll pay the price: public shame, dishonor and humiliation.

His political future has vaporized, colleagues are distancing themselves from him and his wife probably hates him - although she'll probably never divorce him. And over what? Ego, power, women and an illegally taped car telephone conversation between Robb and Wilder.

Just what was going through Robb's mind after becoming Virginia's gov-

ernor? Consider...

"Boy, oh boy, oh boy, oh boy! I'm the governor. Governor Robb. Can you believe it? And of the state of Virginia. Proud state. Historic state. Honored state. Esteemed and respected state. Virtuous state. But they deserve it. I'm intelligent, a military vet, married to a former U.S. president's daughter; I'm tall, handsome - and, I have a summer house in Virginia Beach. How about that! Everybody at the beach will want to be my friend.

But careful. I have to be cool. I'm going to be president some day. There's a lot of things going on in Virginia Beach. It can get hot there sometimes, and in more ways than one. I'm ice, suave, yet accessible. Won't do to hang in public bars. Hmmmm, my summer lodging abuts Cranston. Certainly there's some people there who like me. I'll party at their houses. Stay low. State Police-protected. No one will know. Not even the press.

Let's see, I'll need a companion. How about that girl, Tai Collins. I met. Maybe, yes. Yes. She's hotter, not richer, but hotter than my wife or Elizabeth Taylor; and how could have John Warner have married that?

But look, this will be a piece of cake. Who'll tell? What do I have to lose? Life is hard. Just play. I'm not worried about money, fame or success. I've had all that. What I need is a future Playboy model; or at least for now, a beauty queen with a good attitude who will keep her mouth shut and have a good time. I just need to be me. And if I get burned and lose everything, so be it. I'll just have to live with it. But it'll never happen."

Well, Robb had better get used to living with it. Wilder will get his senate seat. Robb will get a seat at the bar.

Just to be sure, is there any question anymore that Robb attended local parties where he snorted cocaine and somewhere in the process committed adultery? No. But where's the proof? Plenty of apologetic personal accounts, and they all picture exist. In fact, some of the personal stories about Robb, women and drugs really portray him as a sick pup.

Comparing public figures' actions to that of "ordinary people" does suggest a double standard. But unfortunately, that's the way of the world.

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Define the role; transition begins

VBEA is being expected to wear many hats as the school system begins shared decision-making in its schools.

Some members want VBEA to make it go away. Some members want VBEA to speed the process up. Many want VBEA to tell them "what (schools' Superintendent Sidney) Faucette is really up to."



The VBEA Report

Cheryl L. Tohac, president of the Virginia Beach Education Association.

Others fear that their school will become even more centralized and want VBEA to sound the alarm. Some members express frustration that everything is not already figured out and want VBEA to demand a plan - planned out to the last detail. All groups are thirsty for information and training. To this end, VBEA will have a definite role as clearing house on innovations, acceptable practices, and successful training programs.

At the May association report meeting, a head rep from a high school demanded to know exactly what VBEA's position was regarding Faucette's implementation of school-based management. The head rep wanted to know if that position could be articulated to the reps by the June AR meeting. The answer was - probably not. The dilemma for VBEA is that school-based decision-making means many things to many people and how they view it is how they want VBEA to pursue it.

VBEA's position on school-based management might be more easy to define if taken in context. If school-based management means giving up hard-fought working conditions, such as planning time and lunch time for members, then VBEA will oppose it. On the other hand, if school-based management

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means significant increases in student learning, then VBEA will support it. If school-based management means that standards for professional treatment will be cast aside, VBEA will oppose it. On the other hand, if school-based management will allow all employees' views to be given serious consideration by their Faculty Council, then VBEA is for it.

Ultimately, VBEA might not ever have a set position on school-based management. After all, school-based management's is a process - not an outcome. When the process is helping, it will be supported and defended. When the process hinders teaching and learning, it will be opposed. Superintendent Faucette has often stated verbally, and in writing, that he expects the school-based management decisions to pass his three essential questions:

• Does the decision improve learning?
• Does the decision improve working conditions?
• Does the decision maintain a balance between efficiency and effectiveness?

Centralized decision-making, as is currently practiced, is neither supported nor opposed, per se. It is the quality of the decisions that are open to support or criticism. If decision makers will make their decisions in the context of Faucette's three questions, VBEA will find itself supporting the process because it is producing high quality decisions. Let's hope for the best.



The Community Band of Princess Anne County.

Francis Land House to host Community Band of Princess Anne County

By VICKI E.R. HARVEY
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The Community Band of Princess Anne County, under the direction of Robert Deal, will present a Flag Day concert on the lawn of the historic Francis Land House on Sunday, June 14 at 3 p.m.

The program will include works by Sousa, Yoder, Reed, Alfred and Elgar. Bring a blanket or a lawn chair, a picnic basket, a flag and a friend and take a musical tour through time.

Come early and tour the historic house and grounds. "Newtown Uncovered: Pieces of Our Past," an archaeological exhibit, will be

included in the tour of the site. This event is free and open to the public.

For more information on the concert call the Francis Land House at 340-1732. For information on the Community Band of Princess Anne County call Robert Deal at 463-1166.

The Francis Land House is a historic eighteenth-century plantation home that provides tours of period rooms and special exhibits, and offers special interpretive programs to the public.

The house is open Tuesday through Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m. It is located at 3131 Virginia Beach Boulevard. For more information call 340-1732.

Who are the real Americans?

Years ago, President Theodore Roosevelt said, "We Americans are children of the crucible." More recently, Professor Arthur Schlesinger cautioned, "In a world savagely rent by ethnic and racial antagonisms, the United States must continue as an example of how a highly differentiated society holds itself together."



Lil's Quill

Lillian Youell, board member, Virginia Consortium for Law-Related Education.

this problem.

One thing that distinguishes these Americans is that most of their first generation came here as "American nationals" who served in the U.S. Navy. However, these Filipino-Americans are eager to be recognized as full Americans, in

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fact as well as in law. That is why the Hampton Roads Chapter of Filipino-American National Historical Society recently sponsored a symposium in the Central Library, and invited a diverse group of panelists to address the question: What do we have to do to be accepted as Americans?

During the afternoon session, 11

panelists from the perspective of education, government, media and community groups attempted answers. All of us who participated learned anew what it is to be an American, native-born or naturalized. The comments from some of those speakers should be of interest to all citizens.

Two recently elected councilmen gave their advice. Robert Dean said, "Although slavery has ended, bigotry has not, and it must be eliminated." Providing brochures of information, he urged the high school and college graduates present to register and vote. Dean

next explained his concerns about that some of the young people agreed to take part in the upcoming Clean the Bay Day.

John Moss said that people are judged on their merits, and no one should judge people except on what they do. "The way to gain recognition, power and benefits is to participate in groups outside of your own. It is a mistake to segregate ourselves and expect to be treated differently." He spoke of the importance of education and especially the study of American

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1,637 trees, and money, saved by recycling project

An accomplishment of which I am proud is our program to recycle office wastepaper in city offices. In 1990, it was decided that we might be able to help the ecology, save space at the landfill and earn some revenue if we recycled wastepaper produced in the city's offices.



The Mayor's Report

Mayor Meyer Oberdorf

One ton of recyclable paper saves two and one-half barrels of oil in manufacture of new paper. Using recyclable paper to make new paper saves 17 trees per ton of paper manufactured. Each ton of wastepaper recycled saves 3.3 cubic yards of landfill space. Each ton of paper recycled saves \$33 in landfill tipping fees.

We also found we could be paid for the paper if the recycling vendor was able to do that. We opened the idea for bids and chose a vendor who was able to do everything we wanted. Weyerhaeuser Paper Company provided an excellent program that costs the city nothing. All we had to do was sort the paper into the proper types, get it to a central location and Weyerhaeuser would do everything else, including payment for each type.

Early estimates were that we would be able to recycle 45 tons of office wastepaper per year. We began the program on Sept. 10, 1990. The following is what we did in the first year:

- 96.3 tons of paper were recycled.
- \$954.17 in revenue was collected and donated to the Wellness fund.
- 317.8 cubic yards of space were saved at the landfill.
- 240.8 barrels of oil were saved.
- 1,637 trees were saved.
- \$3,177.90 was saved in

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Perot camp organizing; local rally set

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officially declared his presidential candidacy and Virginia for Perot do not have an official headquarters, Bublik said she is confident that Perot will announce his candidacy.

A kick-off rally for Virginians for Perot, a beach party fundraiser, will be held on Sunday, June 28 from 1:30 to 4:30 at the Duck-Inn Restaurant. Tickets for the event will cost \$10.

The group is printing 7,500 tickets, and will begin selling them on Friday, June 5 at 7:30 p.m. at a grass-roots meeting at Bublik's house at The Landing on Shore Drive.

"I'll be used locally to establish our offices and really kick off our campaign down here," said Bublik. "We don't have offices. We don't have phones. Until he announces, that money is going to be financed by local people."

Vice-president-elect interim running mate for Perot, Adm. James Stockdale, will be guest speaker at the June 28 rally.

But what demographic groups in Virginia Beach are contacting Bublik?

"Actually, it's a cross-section," she said. "It's young, old, I wish I could pinpoint the topographics of the average supporter. It transcends the ideal make-up. There's a wealthy, low-income, black, white, hispanic, students."

Bublik said the people interested in the local campaign come from just about every area in Virginia Beach.

"Typically, I would say most people interested in Perot are not people who would vote a straight party ticket," she said. "They are real thinkers. A lot of these people are disenchanted with the system, with Washington, with the current status of politics, with Bush - especially with Bush."

Bublik said many people who are getting involved in Virginia Beach, he is volunteering to circulate petitions, make donations or gather sup-

PEROT SUPPORTERS

Although Texas billionaire Ross Perot has not yet officially declared his candidacy for the presidential election, some Virginia Beach residents have collected more than 10,000 petition signatures favoring Perot's name on the Virginia ballot.

Supporters are described as those from varying racial and economic backgrounds who typically are not involved in politics and do not vote a straight party ticket.

port, "have never been involved in politics and readily admit it."

Bublik said one area in which the group must strongly concentrate is to get Virginia Beach residents registered to vote.

Currently, however, Bublik's first goal is to raise money, because the group does not have a local campaign headquarters, although it is accepting funding through an office on Laskin Road near Hilltop. Bublik said that Perot stated he would dedicate \$100 million to his presidential election campaign. As of early this week, Bublik had not received funding from the national campaign.

"Although he is a wealthy man, he couldn't fund it all himself. Especially until he declares and makes his announcement. We need to get started now," said Bublik.

She said the Virginia Beach-based group has invited Perot to Williamsburg to announce his candidacy for president on June 27 or 28, but because the letter was just sent, she has not yet heard a response.

"He's going to announce very soon," said Bublik.

For more information on the Virginia Beach movement for Ross Perot, or for rally tickets call 425-1291.



Bayside's Covey gets sociology award

Jo Lea Covey, daughter of Patty Covey of Bayside, recently received the Sociology Award at the West Virginia Wesleyan College 1992 Awards Assembly. Covey is a 1988 graduate of Bayside High School. She graduated magna cum laude, with a bachelor of arts degree in sociology and government. She is seen here with Dr. John Warner. West Virginia Wesleyan College is located in Buckannon, W. Va.

Back Bay donations noted

By ANTHONY LEGER
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge has received several significant donations over the past year.

The refuge operates under a controlled budget each year and these donations greatly enhance the refuge's ability to purchase needed items and continue with ongoing projects.

William and Molly Brown donated a sum of \$1,912 for the purchase of handicapped-accessible deck binoculars. One thousand dollars of the donation represented the amount of the cash award received by Mrs. Brown when she won the Chevron Conservation Award in May of 1991.

Mrs. Harriet Glass donated \$500 and Mrs. Ann Hill and her mother, Mrs. James Armstrong, donated \$300 for a total of \$800. These women are the mothers and grandmother of two young men, Danny Glass and Johnny Stevens, who were employed by the refuge in the late 1980's and who tragically lost their lives in a traffic accident after working hours. The donations were made in their memory. This money will be used to purchase materials

for an upcoming project to convert the Bay Trail into a handicapped accessible trail.

The Mulberry Group, Inc., of Richmond, made a donation of \$2,000 for the purchase of environmental education material and equipment. This money has been set aside and will be used to purchase such items in the near future for use by area school children.

During a refuge land acquisition transaction, Stuart Gordon donated \$20,000 in property value to the refuge by reducing the appraised selling price. As a result, this money was made available for the purchase of additional parcels.

Donations such as these are greatly appreciated. By providing these donations, concerned citizens can help the refuge accomplish projects and purchases that may not otherwise be possible. Others who are interested in sharing their concern for the environment or in assisting the refuge by making a monetary, or other type of donation, can contact the refuge at 721-2412 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Anthony Leger is the Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge manager.

Stripping the strip of cars cruising avenue

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have no consideration for the pedestrians, he said.

Carter Turpin, president of the Virginia Beach Restaurant Association, said that the city has letters from the fire department, the police department and the rescue organization supporting the ban.

Nick Wright, an Atlantic Avenue property owner, said that "everybody here knows we have a major problem on Atlantic Avenue."

Charles Gardner, chairman of the Second Precinct Citizens Action Advisory Committee, pointed out that the increase in the number of people in Virginia Beach over the decade has made cruising impractical.

He said that cruising is an extreme detriment to the entire resort industry, and a misuse of Atlantic and Pacific Avenues. Not only is free movement hampered, but the noise and the language used by the cruisers is undesirable, he said. He said the cruisers do not create the type of resort the city wants to advertise.

He said that something has to be done, and that the ordinance deserved a try - "if we're going to have the resort area a pleasant place to go." The money the enforcement of the ban will cost in computers and manpower, he said, is little compared to the tens and thousands of dollars that can be made by the resort.

Councilman William D. Sessoms, Jr. said that the ban was worth a try. He said the cruising ordinance could be coordinated with a new traffic plan, residential parking permits and other city measures at the beach.

Councilman Harold Heischrober

Councilman James Brazier complained that after being lured to the city, visitors are hit with too many rules.

agreed that the city spent too much money to improve the resort to give it up to the cruisers. Much of the problem in the resort is created by some of the cruising drivers, he said. By adopting the ordinance, he said, the council is making an attempt to make Atlantic Avenue more receptive to business.

Vice Mayor Robert E. Fentress said that the ban has been talked about for years, but that this is not the end. The city can always try something else.

Coming up - something on the noise problem!

When Parker asked what the city was doing about the noise, City Manager James K. Spore said that the staff is working on the noise problem.

A driver will be in violation of the existing ordinance, adopted by council last week, if he or she drives past a traffic control point two times in the same direction within any three-hour period. The ban will be in force from April 15 to Sept. 30 between 2 p.m. and 2 a.m. in the area along Atlantic Avenue from the Rudee Inlet Loop to 31st Street.

The control points will be indicated by signs.

No definite start date has been set. In the future, the ban will be in effect from April 15 to Sept. 30 from 2 p.m. to 2 a.m. from Rudee Inlet to Laskin Road.

"Little, happy family" - Babb

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Babb said that she, the mayor and City Council Clerk Ruth Hodges Smith "form a triangle" that keeps the office rolling. Babb described Smith, who appointed her as the mayor's secretary after six months with the city, as her mentor. She said the three work very closely together to keep on top of the mayor's priorities.

"We're all friends," she said. "We've all bonded and become friends. It's like a little happy family behind the scenes."

"My favorite days are City Council (meeting) days, because they are in there all day."

Mayor Meyera Oberndorf's secretary, Louise Babb

Babb, a Larkspur resident, has a 23-year-old son in Hawaii, where she lived for 20 years and worked as a litigation secretary.

"Because I don't have a husband or a family, I dedicate a lot of time with my job. I'm a workaholic," she said. "Some people can't do that because they have families. Some people might say 'Get a life, Louise!' But I am happy. I play hard."

Babb said the job has taught her many things, including patience.

Patience, she said, is not something she had before she started working in the mayor's office. She finds she needs it the most, when there are difficult phone calls.

"I do empathize with these people who call," she said. "I hate to

also have to work to serve the Mayor."

One of Babb's favorite duties is helping the mayor with correspondence, which Oberndorf dictates.

"The children, their letters, they're so endearing," she said. Babb often takes children and some classes on a tour of the mayor's office. She also does this with foreign guests, including some recent visitors from Norway, Japan and some formerly - Soviet countries.

"That's another rewarding part of my job, the exposure to this whole realm of people," she said. "The citizens, the volunteers, the mayor, we're all trying to make this a great place to live and work and play. I just love being a part of it."

Oberndorf recently won her second term as mayor.

Ship modeling contest winners named

The Life-Saving Museum of Virginia has announced the winners in its annual Wooden Ship Modeling Contest. The contest was open to students in grades 3 to 10. The winners are:

Kit models, grades 7 - 10: First Place - Christopher Coffing, Maury High School.

Scratch models, grades 7 - 10: First Place - Brian Leonardson, Princess Anne Junior High School, Honorable Mention and Most Improved Modeler - Christopher Kapha, Lynnhaven Junior High School.

Kit models, grades 3 - 6: First Place - Michael Boyd, Virginia Beach Country Day School; Honorable Mention - Brienne Selig,

Star of the Sea.

Scratch models, grades 3 - 6: First Place - Marc Jarmukowicz, Rosemont Forest Elementary; Honorable Mention - Marc Elefante, Rosemont Forest; Honorable Mention - Michael Orchard, Salem Elementary.

The models were judged by members of the Hampton Roads Ship Model Society of Hampton. Prizes were awarded at the museum. First Place winners received \$25. Certificates were awarded to Honorable Mentions.

The Life-Saving Museum of Virginia is housed in the former Virginia Beach Coast Guard Station at 24th Street and Atlantic Avenue.

VWC sets back yard bonanza

Virginia Wesleyan College will sponsor a backyard bonanza on Saturday, June 6, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the campus.

The event, which is free and open to the public, will provide an opportunity for the community to learn about summer activities available to children and adults. The rain date for the event is Sunday,

June 7, from 1 to 5 p.m.

Activities will include displays, demonstrations, exhibits, games, give-aways, a puppet show, musical entertainment, drama and opportunities to sign up for a variety of summer programs in the larger community.

For further information call 455-3200.

Oceanfront Jaycees announce meeting

The Oceanfront Jaycees will meet at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, June 10 at the Pavilion Athletic Club across

from the Pavilion.

For more information call 431-1585 and after the click dial 22.

Elks Lodge to hold barbecue

The Virginia Beach Elks Lodge 2268 will hold a barbecue barbecue outing with all the trimmings on

Saturday, June 6 from 2 to 5 p.m. at 113 South First Colonial Road. Donation is \$10.

McTyre named new Salem coach

Salem High School assistant varsity football coach Robert William "Billy" McTyre has been named as the school's new head football coach, replacing Ken Barto who is moving to Tallwood High School when it opens in September.

McTyre, a 1981 graduate of First Colonial High School, was a two-year starter at quarterback for coach Frank Webster and received honorable mention on the All-Tidewater team as a junior. He later played quarterback and tailback for coach Bob Thalman at Virginia Military

Institute, making the team as a walk-on.

The new Salem High head coach has been an assistant football coach since 1986, first at Bayside High where he worked with quarterbacks and running backs. Since 1989, he has worked with the offensive backs, wide receivers, and the offensive scout team at Salem High.

McTyre currently teaches sociology at Salem High; he has also taught at Bayside Junior High and Bayside High.

Schools seeking spec. ed. kids

Virginia Beach public schools are seeking to locate all children and youth between the ages of birth and 21 years with special needs who are not currently enrolled in a special education program.

Children and youth with special needs may include those who are visually impaired, hearing impaired,

mentally retarded, emotionally disturbed, learning disabled or physically handicapped. Also included are children between the ages of birth and five years who have a significant lag in their development.

Call the school division's Parent Resource Center at 473-5106 for additional information.

Brookwood's Wilson won first

Racqui Wilson, sixth-grader student at Brookwood Elementary School, won first place in a five-school spelling bee sponsored recently by the Lynnhaven McDonald's Restaurant.

Her prize for spelling the word

"narcotic" correctly was a 10-speed bicycle.

Other schools participating in the spelling bee were Plaza, Holland, Green Run, and Lynnhaven elementary schools.

First Colonial captures title

The First Colonial High School Forensics Team captured second place in the Virginia High School League State Tournament held recently at Albemarle High School. Individual winners from First Colonial were Richard Crommelin,

first in prose interpretation; Clay Everett, first in extemporaneous speaking; Lance Lewis, first in

humorous interpretation; and Melissa Darling, second in dramatic interpretation.

Hernandez is Hispanic scholar

Rebecca Hernandez, a student at Princess Anne High School, has been named a scholar in the 1992 National Hispanic Scholar Awards Program administered by the College Board.

She will receive a \$1,500 scholarship for one year's study in college. Hernandez plans to major in theater at American University, where she has been named a Presidential Scholar.

FC's Mornell gets grant; heading west

By JO CORSO
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

Latin teacher L. Christopher Mornell has won a \$3,200 grant from The National Endowment for the Humanities to participate in a six-week summer seminar for teachers at Stanford University in Palo Alto, Calif.

Mornell will be accompanied by

his wife and 8-year-old son.

Mornell has been teaching 12 years in the Virginia Beach public school system. He has also taught in South Africa and Scotland. He has a master's degree in Classical Philology from the University of Cincinnati, and an honor bachelor's degree in Classics from Manchester University, England.

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VWC approves 1993 budget; increases set

By MARY S. BRUNER
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

A budget of more than \$15 million, the establishment of an Advisory Committee on the Campus Environment, and three new faculty/staff positions were approved at the recent spring meeting of the Virginia Wesleyan College Board of Trustees.

The trustees also heard a final report from retiring President Lambuth M. Clarke.

The \$15,598,230 budget for fiscal year 1993, beginning on July 1, represents a 6 percent increase over the 1992 budget of \$14,685,713. Tuition will provide 70 percent of the budget.

The tuition for the 1992-93 academic year will be \$9,300, a 6 percent increase over last year's figure of \$8,740. Room and board will be \$4,650 for resident students, up 5 percent over last year's cost of \$4,425. Of the proposed budget, 32 percent will go for instruction and academic support; 13 percent for student services; and 13 percent for financial aid. The remainder will be used for institutional support, operation and maintenance.

The trustees approved the appointment for an Advisory Committee on the Campus Environment to work with the board's Building and Grounds Committee in addressing environmental issues on campus. The committee will be composed of three students and three faculty members, with the faculty being elected to represent their academic divisions and the students being selected by the Student Government Association. The members of the advisory committee will serve through June of 1993, at which time new members will be elected for the following year.

New faculty positions were approved for the coming year in English and philosophy, and a new full-time staff position, director of human resources, was also approved. A part-time position, coordinator of multicultural affairs, was approved and will be filled by the associate director of residence life.

Another faculty position, the Jessie Ball duPont Visiting Scholar in History and Ethnic Studies, was approved in the new budget and will be filled for the fall semester of 1992 by Dr. Benjamin D. Berry, associate professor of history at Prairie View A&M University in Prairie View, Texas. Berry serves as director of the University Scholars Program at Banneker Honors College of Prairie View, the nation's

largest honors program primarily for black students. Berry holds a Ph.D. in American Studies from Case-Western Reserve University, an S.T.B. from Harvard Divinity School, and a B.A. in philosophy from Morehouse College.

The Jesse Ball duPont Foundation grant providing partial funding for this position came through the Virginia Foundation for Independent Colleges in a program designed to bring outstanding black scholars to the 15 VFIC institutions.

In other academic areas, a new major program in German was authorized. Foreign language majors are already offered in French and Spanish. Promotions were approved for management/business/economics faculty members David G. Garray and Dr. William A. Gibson, from associate professor to professor; and for Dr. Linda A. Ferguson, from assistant professor to associate professor. The college's first emeritus status was approved for two retired faculty members, Dr. Robert S. Hufstader, professor of chemistry (1968-1986) and Robert E. Tucker, professor of history (1966-1989).

Clarke reported to the board that the college's graduating class of 259 at commencement was the largest in the history of Virginia Wesleyan. He ended his final report to the board by saying, "On many occasions I have spoken of the great potential of Virginia Wesleyan. It is my conviction that at the end of another quarter century of service, the strength of our college will be even greater than that of the dreams of the founding trustees."

Mrs. Jane P. Batten, chairman of the trustees' development committee, reported that nearly 700 businesses, foundations, church and civic groups, and individuals have made contributions to a \$500,000 fund to establish the college's first endowed professorship, which honors retiring President Clarke. The first faculty member to hold the Lambuth M. Clarke Endowed Professorship in English will be named this fall.

William Joseph, vice president for business affairs, reported that work is progressing on the site preparation for the first three residence facilities of Village III. Plans call for the new dormitories to be ready for occupancy by September 1993, enabling the college to house on campus the approximately 130 students living in off-campus apartments adjacent to the college.

New principals, assistant principals have been named

The Virginia Beach School Board recently approved the appointments of 21 administrative/supervisory staff on the recommendation of Superintendent Sidney L. Faucette at the board's last regular meeting.

Five schools will have new principals as of July 1; four of the five are internal reassignments. Shirley D. Barco, now principal of Thalia Elementary School, becomes principal at the city's newest elementary school, Landstown Elementary. Betsy M. Thigpen moves to Thalia Elementary from Beattie F. Williams Elementary. Edward P. Gibbs, currently assistant director in the Office of School Leadership, replaces Thigpen at Williams Elementary.

Hazel M. Wright takes over as principal at Kempsville Elementary. Wright's present position as principal at Seatack Elementary will be filled by Waide L. Robinson, a principal with the Montgomery County Public Schools.

New assistant principal assignments are:

Robert R. Ambrose, from assistant principal at Princess Anne Junior High to assistant principal at Landstown Middle; Dianne J. Bowyer, from assistant principal at the Vocational-Technical Educational Center to assistant principal at Bayside Middle; Barbara O. Cooper, from assistant principal at Princess Anne Junior High to

assistant principal at Landstown Middle; Patricia R. Gavin, from acting director of Vocational Education to assistant principal at Great Neck Junior High; Laureale Grim, from legislative liaison in the Department of Personnel Services to assistant principal at Princess Anne Junior High.

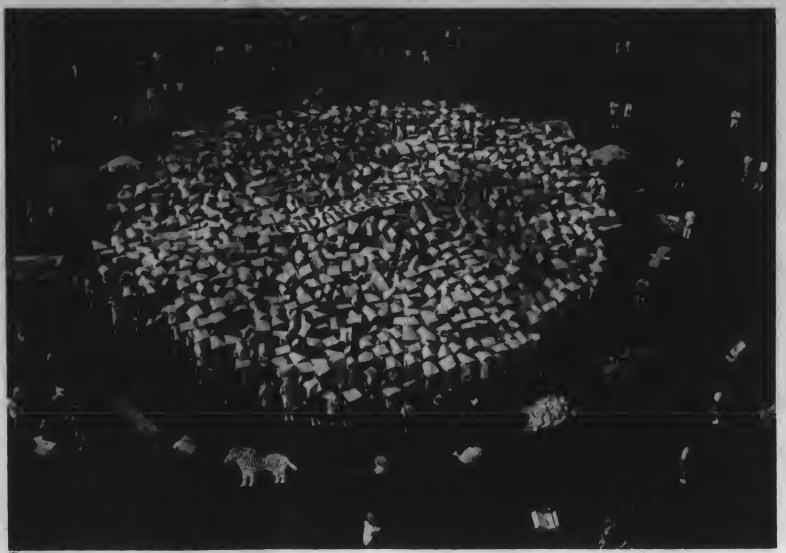
Also, Phyllis P. Harris, from assistant principal with the Hampton Public Schools to assistant principal at Williams Elementary; William L. Johnson, from staff assistant to assistant principal at Landstown Middle; Maynard E. Massey, Jr., from assistant principal at Bayside High to assistant principal at Tallwood High; Robert D. Palombo, from assistant principal at Bayside High to assistant principal at Tallwood High; Carter B. Parks, from assistant principal at Williams Elementary to assistant principal at Kempsville Elementary; Peggy W. Peebles, from teacher with the Portsmouth schools to assistant principal at Tallwood High.

Also, Ernest E. Sawyer, from assistant principal at Plaza Junior High to assistant principal at Salem High; Sophia V. Subbelfield, from assistant principal at Kempsville Elementary to assistant principal at Fairfield Elementary; and William J. Varga, from assistant principal at Salem High to assistant principal at the Vocational-Technical Educational Center.

Longwood recognizes four local students

Four Longwood College students from Virginia Beach recently received academic honors. Carlie Dudley received a Hull Science Scholarship; Melanie Iino,

the Outstanding Student in Pre-Med Award; Rebecca Ledford, the Sue Yeaman Britton Scholarship; and Meyon Pueni, the Geist-Elizabeth Burger Jackson Award.



Photos by John Wilson

Thousands of festivalgoers held blue and green cards and lined up to form the shape of the Earth on the side of Mount

Trashmore. Sculptures of endangered and extinct animals, created by area students, encircled the group.



In the environmental games area, children enjoyed the "Rainbow Labyrinth Journey."

Earth day '93 set for Norfolk

After holding separate Earth Day celebrations in each city, Virginia Beach and Norfolk joined forces this year for a combined Earth Day '92 celebration at Mount Trashmore. About 18,000 people attended the festivities, according to John Deuel, Clean Community Commission, city of Norfolk.

Over the past three or four years, Deuel said, each city had its own observance. Next year he said, the celebration will be held on May 2 at Towne Pointe Park in Norfolk.

A local radio station and television station, The Coast and WVEC-TV, were also sponsors.

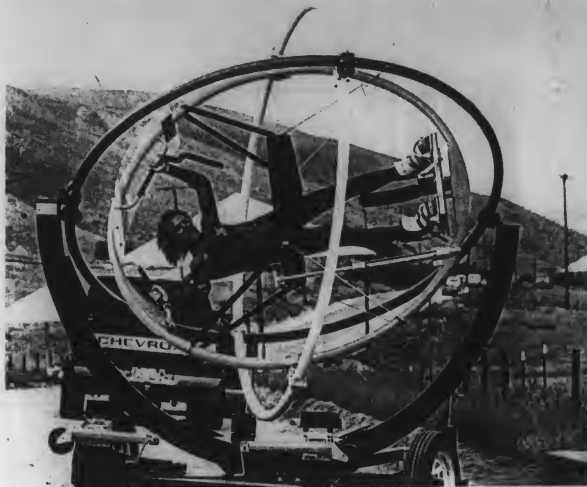


Norfolk Mayor Joseph Leafe passed the "Earth Day Torch" model to Mayor Meyera Oberndorf. A series of runners carried the model from Norfolk City Hall to Mount Trashmore.



In the animal interaction area, the Virginia Marine Science Museum's mobile unit provided an up-close and personal

experience with a variety of sea adventures.



The Orbotron in use.

Orbotron coming to 2nd Street and Atlantic Avenue

By LEE CAHILL

Virginia Beach Sun City Council Reporter
A contraption that looks like a whirling torture rack will be added to the thrills at the small (1.6-acre) amusement park at 2nd Street and Atlantic Avenue.

Bungee Thrills, Inc., the organization which already has a water slide and a permit for a bungee jump on the site, last week was granted a conditional use permit for an Orbotron unit, described by the

city staff as a fitness and recreation device that uses "gyro" motion to allow the rider to control its direction with shifts in the rider's movement and weight distribution.

Felix E. Templeton, principal of Bungee Thrills, said that he planned to use a fixed structure for the bungee-jump. Plans to use a crane were outlawed by safety officials.

Adult book store concern continues

By LEE CAHILL

Virginia Beach Sun City Council Reporter
The city is pursuing the rezoning

route as a way of discouraging the proliferation of adult book stores in the city.



The wine festival, seen from the boardwalk.



Jazz fusion guitarist Stanley Jordan played Sunday.

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Gary Fentress, assistant city attorney, in reply to queries from Councilwoman Nancy Parker last week, explained that the city is not permitted by Constitutional law to regulate the contents, but that through rezoning limits can be placed on where the stores could be located.

Recently, residents in the Shore Drive area complained to council about the adult book store in their community and others which were appearing in other sections of the city.

Since First Amendment protection is involved, Fentress said that the issue has to be studied carefully. He said, for instance, that if the city started regulating nudity in the reading material, it might take in medical books.

He said that the city attorney's office is not going to attempt to regulate the materials, but is considering the secondary effects such as criminal acts that may take place on the premises.

Planning Director Robert Scott said that it would take another two weeks to have a zoning ordinance prepared addressing the problem.

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Visitors heading to the "Taste of Virginia Beach."

1,500 attend Boardwalk Wine Festival; Taste of the Beach

By APRIL O'BRIEN

Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The Summer of 1992 received a warm welcome recently with the Virginia Beach Boardwalk Wine Festival and the Taste of Virginia Beach. Both events were held over the Memorial Day weekend at 24th Street Park at the Oceanfront.

The Virginia Beach Boardwalk Wine Festival included over 1,500 people participating in a tasting with 24 Old Dominion wineries on Saturday, May 23. In addition to those tasting wine on the warm and sunny day, many also enjoyed the music by the Schoefel Consort and the Tidewater Classical Guitar Society.

On Sunday, May 24, 11 Virginia Beach Restaurants competed for awards for best seafood dishes in the Taste of Virginia Beach. Winners and their categories included Best Soup, Tandem's Pine Tree Inn for their Seafood Gaspacho Soup; Best Appetizer, Tracy's Clam and Oyster Bar for their Smoked Bluefish Dip; Best Sandwich, Tradewind's for their Seafood Sandwich; Best En-

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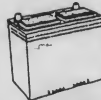
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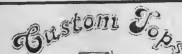
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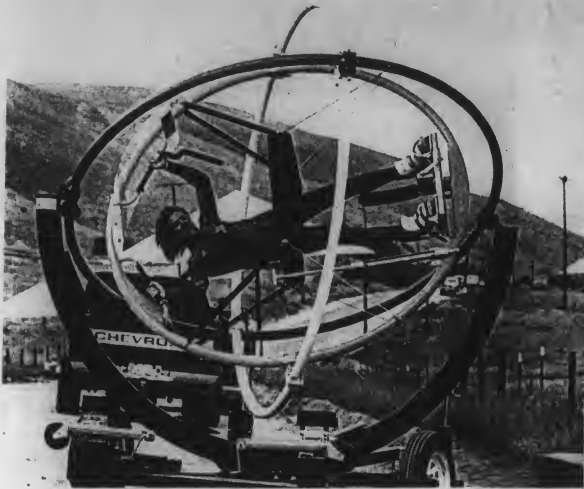
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The Orbotron in use.

Orbotron coming to 2nd Street and Atlantic Avenue

By LEE CAHILL
Virginia Beach Sun City Council Reporter

A contraption that looks like a whirling torture rack will be added to the thrills at the small (1.6-acre) amusement park at 2nd Street and Atlantic Avenue.

Bungee Thrills, Inc., the organization which already has a water slide and a permit for a bungee jump on the site, last week was granted a conditional use permit for an Orbotron unit, described by the

city staff as a fitness and recreation device that uses "gyro" motion to allow the rider to control its direction with shifts in the rider's movement and weight distribution.

Felix E. Templeton, principal of Bungee Thrills, said that he planned to use a fixed structure for the bungee jump. Plans to use a crane were outlawed by safety officials.

Adult book store concern continues

By LEE CAHILL
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The city is pursuing the rezoning

route as a way of discouraging the proliferation of adult book stores in the city.

Gary Fentress, assistant city attorney, in reply to queries from Councilwoman Nancy Parker last week, explained that the city is not permitted by Constitutional law to regulate the contents, but that through rezoning limits can be placed on where the stores could be located.

Recently, residents in the Shore Drive area complained to council about the adult book store in their community and others which were appearing in other sections of the city.

Since First Amendment protection is involved, Fentress said that the issue has to be studied carefully. He said, for instance, that if the city started regulating nudity in the reading material, it might take in medical books.

He said that the city attorney's office is not going to attempt to regulate the materials, but is considering the secondary effects such as criminal acts that may take place on the premises.

Planning Director Robert Scott said that it would take another two weeks to have a zoning ordinance prepared addressing the problem.



The wine festival, seen from the boardwalk.



Jazz fusion guitarist Stanley Jordan played Sunday.



Visitors heading to the "Taste of Virginia Beach."

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By APRIL O'BRIEN

Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

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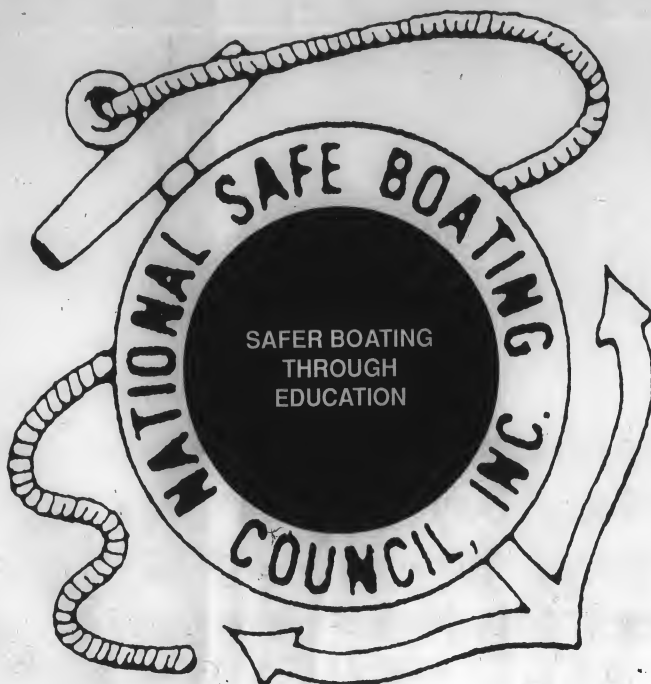
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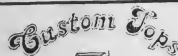
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A group of citizens braved the wet weather in the courtyard of City Hall.

Photos by Carole J. Arnold

City observes National Day of Prayer at Beach City Hall

Sponsored by the Christian Chapel Assembly of God, located on Lynnhaven Parkway, a National Day of Prayer observance was held at Virginia Beach City Hall. Local clergy members and city officials, including Mayor Meyera Oberndorf, were present. The mayor issued a proclamation honoring the day.

About 30 people attended.



Steve Dyer, pastor, Christian Assembly of God, received the city's National Day of Prayer proclamation from Mayor Meyera Oberndorf.

Who are the real Americans?

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history. We need to know of the past in order to focus on the future. He smiled from experience when he added, "Learn to take defeats along with successes." He concluded, "Hold the system accountable. Speak out when you see unfairness. Attend public hearings. Consider running for public office."

Jeffrey Acosta, curator at the MacArthur Memorial, who is working on his master's degree in History at ODU, explained that he had a Puerto Rican background but was married to a Filipino-American. He commented that this meant his

children were 50 percent Filipino, but all-American. He urged parents to take responsibility for their children and to help teachers. He then challenged the Historical Society to provide speakers and materials so that Philippine history can be included in the curriculum.

Acosta suggested that the study of the Spanish American War would be a time to introduce this on the high school level. He proposed that the FANHSS raise funds for a history chair at ODU to teach Philippine culture. Finally, he advised the young people, "Ask for more breaks. Work hard."

Dr. Marilyn Brady, professor of history at Virginia Wesleyan College and the author of *Dring Loyal History*, said that for years historians focused on presidents and

generals. Fortunately, American history has expanded. She likened America to a salad bowl to which each person brings his part. Her advice to the Filipino-Americans was to write their own history, using primary documents such as letters, journals, diaries, and tape the memories of the older generation. "Being accepted does not mean erasing your past."

Sonny Busa, a career foreign service officer, currently serving in Washington with the Department of State's Bureau of Political-Military Affairs as the Latin American desk officer for Defense Relations and Security Assistance, told of his service in five countries as a political analyst for the ambassador. He said he had observed countries torn by racial tension. Finally, he urged other Filipino-Americans to consider foreign service, pointing out that the State Department is looking for more diversity.

But perhaps the most impressive note on which to end the session came from Bradford Bellow, a third-year student, majoring in architecture and currently president of the Filipino Student Association at the University of Virginia. He gave a three-point answer to the question, "What we Filipinos have to do is to understand who we are as individuals. Make our mark and then present our identity to others. Finally, understand and accept everyone else's culture."

Good advice, but all of us - We the People - must heed Schlesinger's warning from his new book, *The Disuniting of America: Reflections on a Multicultural Society*. "The burden to unify the country does not fall exclusively on the minorities. Assimilation and integration are two-way street. Those who want to join American must be received and welcomed by those who already think they own America."

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WIFE seminar set

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Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 22nd day of May, 1992.

James Greco, Plaintiff, against Pamela Jane Greco, Defendant.
Docket # CH92-1659

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce a Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of separation lasting for more than one (1) year pursuant to Section 20-91 (9) of the code of Virginia (1950) as amended.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being 931-B E. States Boulevard, Charleston, South Carolina 29414.

It is ordered that Pamela Jane Greco do appear on or before the 13th of July, 1992, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. It is further ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A copy - Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Raymond W. Bjorkman, D.

Theodore A. Boyce, P.Q.
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Virginia Beach, Virginia 23452

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416-24VBS

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH
Re: RUTH MYERS HUBBARD, deceased
IN CHANCERY NO. CH92-1326

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It is ORDERED that the creditors of, and all others interested in, the above estate show cause, if any they can, on June 19, 1992, AT 9:30 a.m. before this Court, at its Courthouse, Municipal Center, Virginia Beach, Virginia, against the payment and delivery of the Estate to the legatees without requiring refunding bonds.

It appearing to the Court that reports of the accounts of William L. Myers and Howard S. Myers, Jr., Executors of the above estate and of the debts and demands against the estate have been filed in the Clerk's office and that six months have elapsed since the qualification, and upon motion of the personal representatives, it is further ORDERED that the foregoing portion of this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

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J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
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BY: Rhonda V. Tynes
Deputy Clerk
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216-10VBS

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REGULAR AGENDA: SUBDIVISION VARIANCE:

1. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for H.A.V. Inc., James Arnold, Pres. Property is located at the northwest intersection of Northampton Boulevard and Jack Frost Road. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

2. **PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH:** Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for ALLOT Corporation. Property is located on Huckleberry Trail and Lillipond Lane. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

3. **CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:**

An Ordinance upon Application of Lawrence A. Sancilio, Lena Sancilio, George M. Sullivan-Est, Maurice Steingold and Lewis B. Steingold, Trustee of Estate of Isaac Steingold for a Change of Zoning District Classification from B-2 Community Business District

to O-1 Office District on the west side of E. Avenue, 280 feet more or less south of Bonney Road. The proposed zoning classification to O-1 Office District is for office land use. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for office uses in a accordance with other Plan policies. Said parcel contains 9.47 acres. LYNNHAVEN & KEMPSVILLE BOROUGHS.

4. An Ordinance upon Application of Thelma Brit Harris for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from R-10 Residential District to R-40 Residential District on certain property located 530 feet north of Indian River Road, 4140 feet more or less west of West Neck Road. The proposed zoning classification change to R-40 Residential District is for single family residential land use at a density no greater than 0.8 dwelling units per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcel contains 5.4 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

5. An Ordinance upon Application of Alice Brit, Mary E. Brit and Thelma V. Harris for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from R-10 Residential District to AG-2 Agricultural District on certain property located on the North side of Indian River Road, 4010 feet more or less west of West Neck Road. The proposed zoning classification change to AG-2 Agricultural District is for agricultural land use at a density no greater than 1 dwelling unit per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcel contains 6.8 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

6. An Ordinance upon Application of Thelma Brit Harris for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from R-15 Residential District to R-40 Residential District on certain property located 1030 feet North of Indian River Road, 4900 feet more or less west of West Neck Road. The proposed zoning classification change to R-40 Residential District is for single family residential land use at a density no greater than 0.8 dwelling units per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcel contains 2 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

7. An Ordinance upon Application of Thelma Brit Harris for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to R-40 Residential District on certain property located on the North side of Indian River Road, 3900 feet more or less west of West Neck Road. The proposed zoning classification change to R-40 Residential District is for single family residential land use at a density no greater than 0.8 dwelling units per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcel contains 9.7 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

8. An Ordinance upon Application of Thelma Brit Harris for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from AG-1 Agricultural District to R-40 Residential District on certain property located 620 feet North of Indian River Road, 3730 feet more or less west of West Neck Road. The proposed zoning classification change to R-40 Residential District is for single family residential land use at a density no greater than 0.8 dwelling units per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land

use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcel contains 12.9 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

9. An Ordinance upon Application of Alice Brit, Mary E. Brit and Thelma V. Harris for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from R-20 Residential District to AG-2 Agricultural District on certain property located on the North side of Indian River Road, 5600 feet more or less west of West Neck Road. The proposed zoning classification change to AG-2 Agricultural District is for agricultural land use at a density no greater than 1 dwelling unit per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcel contains 2.3 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

10. An Ordinance upon Application of James L. Miller, Trustee, Indian River Plantation, Inc., Indian River Country Club Estates, L.P., Thomas Vance and Robert Ripley for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from R-20 Residential District to AG-2 Agricultural District on the following parcels:

Parcel 1: Located 800 feet north of Indian River Road beginning at a point 950 feet more or less west of West Neck Road.

Parcel 2: Located 1370 feet north of Indian River Road beginning at a point 3640 feet more or less west of West Neck Road.

Parcel 3: Located 2200 feet north of Indian River Road beginning at a point 3700 feet more or less west of West Neck Road.

Parcel 4: Located 1950 feet north of Indian River Road beginning at a point 4650 feet west of West Neck Road.

Parcel 5: Located 4010 feet north of Indian River Road beginning at a point 600 feet more or less west of West Neck Road.

The proposed zoning classification change to AG-2 Agricultural District is for agricultural land use at a density no greater than 1 dwelling unit per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcels contain 115 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

11. An Ordinance upon Application of James L. Miller, Trustee, Indian River Plantation, Inc., Indian River Country Club Estates, L.P. for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from R-10 Residential District to AG-2 Agricultural District on the following parcels:

Parcel 1: Located on the north side of Indian River Road beginning at a point 2900 feet more or less west of West Neck Road.

Parcel 2: Located on the north side of Indian River Road beginning at a point 2950 feet more or less west of West Neck Road.

Parcel 3: Located on the west side of West Neck Road beginning at a point 750 feet more or less north of Indian River Road.

The proposed zoning classification change to AG-2 Agricultural District is for agricultural land use at a density no greater than 1 dwelling unit per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcels contain 97.5 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

12. An Ordinance upon Application of Indian River Plantation, Inc., Thomas Vance and Robert Ripley for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to R-40 Residential District on certain property located on the north side of Indian River Road beginning at a point 2240 feet more or less west of West Neck Road. The proposed zoning classification change to R-40 Residential District is for single family residential land use at a density no greater than 0.8 dwelling units per acre. The Comprehensive Plan

recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcel contains 76.8 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

13. An Ordinance upon Application of Indian River Plantation, Inc., Thomas Vance and Robert Ripley for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from AG-1 Agricultural District to R-40 Residential District on certain property located 620 feet north of Indian River Road beginning at a point 3750 feet west of West Neck Road. The proposed zoning classification change to R-40 Residential District is for single family residential land use at a density no greater than 0.8 dwelling units per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcel contains 22 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

14. An Ordinance upon Application of James L. Miller, Trustee, Indian River Plantation, Inc., Indian River Country Club Estates, L.P. for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from R-15 Residential District to AG-2 Agricultural District on the following parcels:

Parcel 1: Located 340 feet north of Indian River Road beginning at a point 540 feet more or less west of West Neck Road.

Parcel 2: Located 1270 feet north of Indian River Road beginning at a point 3820 feet more or less west of West Neck Road.

Parcel 3: Located 1750 feet north of Indian River Road beginning at a point 5500 feet more or less west of West Neck Road.

The proposed zoning classification change to AG-2 Agricultural District is for agricultural land use at a density no greater than 1 dwelling unit per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcels contain 102.5 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:

15. An Ordinance upon Application of Indian River Plantation, Inc. and Indian River Country Club Estates, L.P. for a Conditional Use Permit for a recreational facility of an outdoor nature (golf course) on certain property located at the Northwest intersection of Indian River Road and West Neck Road. Said parcel contains 180.4 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

16. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for Indian River Plantation/Brit Farm Property is located at the northwest corner of the intersection of West Neck Road and Indian River Road. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

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An Ordinance upon Application of Linda Chappel for a Conditional Use Permit for a recreational facility of an outdoor nature (golf driving range & accessory uses) on the south side of London Bridge Road, 980 feet more or less west of Swamp Road. Said parcel is located at 1549 London Bridge Road and contains 17.68 acres more or less. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

18. An Ordinance upon Application of Gyle R. & Jacqueline Rountree for a Conditional Use Permit for an animal hospital on property located 800 feet more or less south of Seaboard Road beginning at a point 2640 feet more or less west of Princess Anne Road. Said parcel is located at 2997 Seaboard Road and contains 60 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

19. An Ordinance upon Application of David & Marcia Salmons for a Conditional Use Permit for a single family dwelling in the AG-2 Agricultural District on certain property located on the east side of Princess Anne Road, 350 feet more or less north of Poochier Court. Said parcel contains 3 acres. PUNGO BOROUGH.

20. An Ordinance upon Application of Jeffrey D. Salmons for a Conditional Use Permit for a single family dwelling in the AG-2 Agricultural District on certain property located on the west side of Princess Anne Road, 350 feet more or less south of Blossom Hill Court. Said parcel contains 2.1 acres. PUNGO BOROUGH.

21. An Ordinance upon Application of June Kay Freeman for a Conditional Use Permit for 2 single family dwellings in the Agricultural Districts on certain property located at the northeast corner of Indian River Road and N. Muddy Creek Road. Said parcel contains 56.66 acres. PUNGO BOROUGH.

22. An Ordinance upon Application of J. Harry & Kathryn H. Mote for a Conditional Use Permit for a single family dwelling in the AG Districts for and boarding horses on certain property located on the south side of Indian River Road, 1088 feet west of Princess Anne Road. Said parcel contains 16.5 acres. PUNGO BOROUGH.

23. An Ordinance upon Application of Kempsville Conservative Synagogue, Kehillat Bet Hamidrah for a Conditional Use Permit for a church (amendment) at the northeast terminus of Indian Lakes Boulevard. Said parcel is located at 952 Indian Lakes Boulevard and contains 3.682 acres. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

24. An Ordinance upon Application of Nicklin Ent. Inc. for a Conditional Use Permit for an eating & drinking establishment serving alcoholic beverages (expansion) at the northwest corner of Laskin Road and Arctic Avenue. Said parcel is located at 404 & 406 Laskin Road

and contains 9,410 square feet. VIRGINIA BEACH BOROUGH.

25. An Ordinance upon Application of Charles W. Lewis, Jr. & A.E. Werner for a Conditional Use Permit for a single family dwelling in the Agricultural District on the west side of Blackwater Road, 2300 feet more or less south of Old Carolina Road. Said parcel is located at 4933 Blackwater Road and contains 3.04 acres. BLACKWATER BOROUGH.

26. An Ordinance upon Application of Kim Nolte for a Conditional Use Permit for a pre-school at the southwest intersection of N. Great Neck Road and Rose Hall Drive. Said parcel is located at 2225 Rose Hall Drive and contains 5.9 acres. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

27. An Ordinance upon Application of Welcome Corp. DBA Thrifty Car Rental for a Conditional Use Permit for a car rental establishment at the southern terminus of North Mall Drive, west of Lynnhaven Parkway. Said parcel is located at 701 N. Lynnhaven Parkway and contains 100 square feet. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

STREET CLOSURE:

28. Application of The Runnymede Corporation for the discontinuance, closure and abandonment of a portion of Walnut Street beginning at the northern boundary of South Boulevard and running in a northerly direction a distance of 40 feet more or less. Said parcel contains 2,901 square feet. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

29. Application of Whitt Sessoms, III, for the discontinuance, closure and abandonment of a portion of a

15 foot alley adjacent to Lots 4, 5, 16 and 17, Block 20, Cronton Beach. Said alley contains 1,500 square feet. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

AMENDMENTS:

30. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain the City Zoning Ordinance. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director regarding development review and submittal. It is also proposed that Section 221(b) (2), pertaining to fees for conditional use permit applications for single family dwellings in the AG-1 Agricultural District, be deleted.

31. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Appendix B Subdivision Regulations of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director regarding development review and submittal.

32. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Appendix C Site Plan Ordinance of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director regarding development review and submittal.

33. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Appendix F Chesapeake Bay Preservation Area Ordinance of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will delete the staff review committee and accurately reflect functions to be performed by

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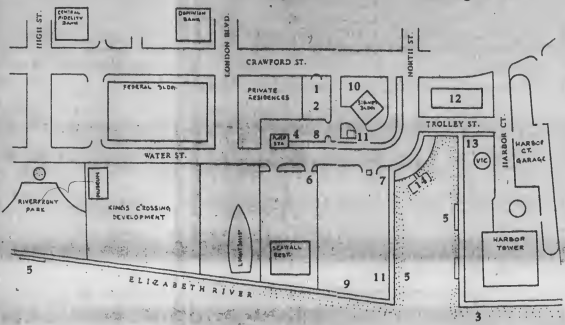


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Schedule of Events

FRIDAY, JUNE 5			4:00 p.m.	Ocean Tumblers	CS
Noon	North Tower	WS	4:00 p.m.	Gentlemen & Their Lady	BS
4:00 p.m.	The Voltage Brothers	BS	4:30 p.m.	Ocean Tumblers	CS
8:00 p.m.	Bill Deal & Ammon Tharp	BS	5:00 p.m.	Churchland High Villagers	CS
			5:30 p.m.	Museum's School of Dance	CS
			6:00 p.m.	The Keys	WS
			8:00 p.m.	Liquid Pleasure	BS
SATURDAY, JUNE 6					
11:00 a.m.	Highland Billmore Elementary	CS			
Noon	Tumbling Team/Drill Team	CS			
Noon	North Tower	WS			
12:30 p.m.	Ernie Le Beau & The Beach Busters	BS	Noon	SUNDAY, JUNE 7	
1:00 p.m.	Hodges Manor Band/Chorus	CS	Noon	Summer Fun Puppets	CS
1:30 p.m.	Churchland Jr. High Jazz Band & Orchestra	CS	Noon	Coolin' Out	BS
1:30 p.m.	Churchland Jr. High Chorus	CS	12:45 p.m.	Clowning Around	CS
1:30 p.m.	All Mapp/Cradock Orchestra	CS	1:30 p.m.	Dan Miller Magic	CS
2:00 p.m.	Liberation	WS	2:00 p.m.	Pat Ammon's Band	WS
2:30 p.m.	Park View/Shea Terrace Chorus	CS	2:15 p.m.	Fashion Show	CS
3:00 p.m.	Park View Marching Superstars	CS	3:00 p.m.	Clowning Around	CS
3:30 p.m.	Churchland Primary	CS	3:45 p.m.	Dan Miller Magic	CS
	Kindergarten Review	CS	4:00 p.m.	1964 As The Beatles	BS
			4:30 p.m.	Humbly Players	CS
			5:15 p.m.	Humbly Players	CS

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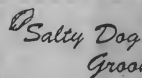
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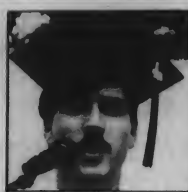
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Surfing area is "overcrowded, dangerous," one official says

**New surfing areas
to be considered
by City Council**

By M.J. RICHARDS
Virginia Beach Sun Staff Writer

In an effort to please residents of Croatan Beach, surfers, swimmers, visitors and property and business owners, the Virginia Beach City Council is contemplating some ordinances that will change the surfing areas in Virginia Beach, particularly those near the 1st Street jetty by Rudee Inlet, the most popular surfing spot in Virginia Beach.

"Usually, no matter what you do, everybody is not going to be happy," said Robert Hudome, Re-

sult Area Services coordinator for the city of Virginia Beach.

As they currently exist, there are eight surfing areas in Virginia Beach. Only three will be affected, if current negotiations go through.

800 FEET OF WAVES

The recommendation is to eliminate the 5th Street area and widen the Rudee Inlet surfing area by 300 feet to create one 800-foot surfing area at the south end. Some business owners, however, would be adversely affected.

Area A is Little Island Park in Sandbridge. Times and places for

surfing are designated at the park.

Area B is Little Island Park to the N.C. State Line. Restrictions may be imposed by the U.S. Government in areas owned by it.

Area C is the southern line of Dam Neck to northern line of Little Island Park. Sunrise to 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. from May 15 through September 30.

Area D is the northern line of Camp Pendleton to 42nd Street. Exceptions include an area around the wooden pier, mouth of Rudee Inlet. No surfing 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. from May 15 through September 30.

Area E is from 42nd Street north to the southern boundary of Fort Story. No surfing 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. from Friday before Memorial day through Labor Day.



Virginia Beach Sun staff photo

Too many surfers in one area can be dangerous, experts say.

Area F is Camp Pendleton, southern end of Croatan Beach, from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. only, seven days a week.

Area G is from southern jetty of Rudee Inlet to a line extending 800 feet south, sunrise to sunset.

Area H is north of Rudee Inlet jetty and a boundary line 500 feet north, between 3rd and 5th streets, with surfing from sunrise to sunset.

"The areas we are talking about in consideration are Croatan and the 1st street jetty," said Paul West, director of Eastern Surfing Association.

Currently, there is a 500-foot surfing area at 1st street, which West describes as "the oldest premier surfing spot on the east coast."

West said because the inlet jetties

coincide with southern swells in the summer, there are large sand deposits at 1st Street.

"The very best waves in Virginia Beach are at the 1st Street jetty," said West.

West described the 18,000 surfers trying to surf in one 500-foot area as "extremely overcrowded and very

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Have a seat



This man is enjoying one of the city's 575 wooden benches.

Virginia Beach Sun staff photo

About 575 benches, many of them teak, provide comfort for tired legs

A first glance, the benches on the Virginia Beach boardwalk, on Atlantic Avenue and connector parks don't look like anything special. But many of them made of expensive teak wood and were imported from England.

According to Katherine Jackson in the city's Public Information Office, over the years the city has purchased about 575 benches, each

costing about \$500.

Although many of the benches are beautiful teak, cut usually from tall East Indian timber trees and known for their hardness and durability, subsequent bench orders were for wooden American-made benches, Jackson said.

DeWitt Cottage's change to museum in "embryo" stage

**Atlantic Wildfowl
Heritage Center
ready in 2 years**

By M.J. RICHARDS
Virginia Beach Sun Staff Writer

In 1909, Cornelius DeWitt, a Norfolk banker and cotton broker, bought a 17-room brick house at the corner of Atlantic Avenue and 12th Street at the Oceanfront. The house, which was built by Virginia Beach's first mayor, Bernard Peabody Holland, in 1895, is one of 13 properties in Virginia Beach listed in the National Register of Historic Places.

Within two years, The Atlantic Wildfowl Heritage Center will open as an art and museum hub at the DeWitt cottage. Until then, the Virginia Beach Foundation and the Back Bay Wildfowl Guild are working together to restore the building, which, when complete, will be turned over to the city of Virginia Beach.

Restoration of the building is estimated at \$550,000, with \$450,000 secured by the guild and the foundation through contributions. The original cottage may have originally been worth \$3,000 to \$4,000, although the exact amount of purchase is unknown.

The 2,800 square-foot three-story cottage was a \$600,000 gift to the city from the DeWitt sisters, Julia, Harriett and Karline, who lived in the house until a few years ago and rented out some of its rooms in the summer. The sisters now live in a retirement community, Westminster-Canterbury, on Shore Drive.

From the outside, onlookers can see that the two-story gray and white house with green trim is undergoing construction. The porch railing, which surrounds the house, still has most of its original posts, although sections of the heart pine handrail that were replaced over the years with metal rods and broom

handles as they fell off, have now been replaced with new wood.

Many of the building's windows are currently boarded up, and need to be replaced one-at-a-time. A weight and pulley mechanism is still used to open and close the windows, although that system was considered "outdated" years ago.

Because the house, in its early days, did not have running water and a well would only produce salty sea water, the house had a tin roof with many gutters to catch rain water. The water would drain into a

**"It'll be a historical
place, as well as a
place to go. It'll
serve as an attraction
to tourists as
well as school children."**

Fletcher Bryant,
Back Bay Wildfowl Guild

pipe, leading into a cistern in the basement, functioning as the home's water supply.

On the front porch, which faces Atlantic Avenue, a heavy trap door conceals a long stairwell that leads into the full basement.

As one walks inside the first level of the old house, the dark, thick heart pine floors creak between the 14-inch thick plastered over brick walls.

According to John Bailio, immediate past president of the Virginia Beach Foundation, the sturdy brick walls are the reason the house is still standing.

Phase I of the restoration, which is now basically complete, returned the cottage's exterior to the green, gray and white color scheme. Under a specified clause in the agreement between the DeWitt sisters

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Council wants stricter residency requirements

**Local elections
should reflect
proper parity**

By LEE CAHILL
Virginia Beach Sun City Council Reporter

If borough representation is intended to have someone on City Council who can address the specific needs of a borough, the city's election laws don't guarantee that outcome.

In fact, said Blackwater Borough Councilman John A. Baum, the laws on the books, such as they are, are meaningless. Last week he requested City Attorney Leslie Lilley to make a preliminary study on residency requirements for council candidates. Baum is not alone in looking for more stringent residency requirements. The Citizens Action Coalition, Inc., which supported the election to the Blackwater seat of Gloria K. Jasinowski, said in its May newsletter, "The Monitor," that the organization "will lobby hard to have



Baum

change of address to meet the requirement."

The third candidate in the Black-

JUST WORDS

The residency laws on the books, said Councilman John Baum, are meaningless.

water race in May, which Baum won easily, was Delceno C. Miles who had changed her address from the Bayside Borough to the Blackwater

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Virginia Beach: "That's where the people are"

**NCHS principal Pitt
been waiting to move**

By M.J. RICHARDS
Virginia Beach Sun Staff Writer

After years of waiting, Rev. William L. Pitt, principal of Norfolk Catholic High School, recently participated in a ground breaking



Approximately 500 students, parents, faculty members and Catholic and community leaders attended the event.



The new center will be located at 12th Street and Atlantic Avenue.

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Editorials

Living with the rules

Each day, Virginia Beach residents find themselves following set rules and regulations everywhere they go.

Right turn on red after stop, only 10 items or less at this cash register, no checks, please hold the line and someone will be with you shortly so please have your account number ready - the list goes on and on.

Rules seem to be taken for granted, and the rulemakers expect people to follow.

Virginia Beach City Council recently adopted some new regulations for the Oceanfront area and is currently contemplating more.

While the new cruising regulation for Atlantic Avenue may be in the best interest of area merchants and pedestrians, others say that there are too many rules plaguing the area.

They say that people will stop coming to the beach for a weekend or week-long vacation, because the words "can't" and "don't" are posted all over the Oceanfront.

The Virginia Beach City Council is implementing the cruising ordinance and other rules because there have been problems at the Oceanfront. Merchants and residents complained about problems, so rules were made to eliminate or dissipate the problems.

It seems the only people complaining about the cruising ordinance or some other regulations to be implemented are those who were part of the problem.

There are still many ways to have fun at the beach. In an effort to keep it a family vacation spot, rules were created.

Virginia Beach residents live with them every day. What's a few more? — M.J.R.

Sunburn remedies

As more and more Virginia Beach residents have fun in the sun, sunburns become a common site.

For those who don't wear sunscreen, sunburns can be a painful and itchy punishment from the hot summer weather.

Many people don't care about getting too much sun until they are raw and uncomfortable the next day.

For those who prefer home remedies to stop the burning pain, there are many.

By rubbing vinegar with a cottonball on the skin, the heat is drawn out.

Other people say a sure-fire remedy to cool sunburned skin is to rub steeped, cooled tea bags to draw out the heat.

Some people prefer to buy aloe plants or aloe-based moisturizers to help keep skin from bubbling and peeling. Cold cream is also often recommended.

No matter what method one uses after a sunburn, though, the best way to avoid one is by staying out of the sun or by religiously applying your favorite brand of sunscreen. — M.J.R.

Send us a letter

There are many issues in Virginia Beach that have recently created controversy, such as city ordinances, educational decisions, political discussions, changes in some historical landmarks and other topics.

Do you have an opinion on some of the issues that affect Virginia Beach?

The Virginia Beach Sun would like to hear what you have to say, and share it with the Virginia Beach community.

By making others aware of your views, you can make a difference. Whether it is educating some one not familiar with issue or finding an alliance with a person who is, a letter to the editor is an effective way of voicing your opinion.

Has The Virginia Beach Sun published a story that provoked you in a good or bad way? Let us know.

Send letters to: Editor, The Virginia Beach Sun, 138 South Rosemont Road, Suite 209, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23452. — M.J.R.

Another View

Reporters take too many liberties when interviewing

We all have our pet peeves and Lord knows I have my share. But I have not lost sight of the fact that people become peeved about some of the subjects I write about in my column, as has been evidenced recently in letters to the editor.

I am fortunate that I can use my column to vent my frustration and those who disagree can use the letter to the editor route, or better still, ask for space to rebut an article with which they disagree.

This is fairness. This is the way it should be. No citizen should be denied the right or space in a newspaper to disagree with an article that they believe to be unfair or untrue; and in this day and time

there are many. This brings me to my pet peeve of the week. I believe that some newspaper reporters deceive their readers when they conduct an interview and then take journalistic license and change the language of the person who is being interviewed.

The reader believes that the subject is being quoted verbatim when in fact that is not always the case as far as the language is concerned. For example when the subject says, dis, dat, deem, dose, dey you know, you know, etc., and the reporter corrects the language making the subject sound like a rocket scientist or English professor, when in fact they are functional illiterates. This is wrong. The words should be written exactly as they are spoken. Television cannot change the language as you see the subject, wants and all, and that is the way it should be. Why not? If a newspaper can change the language of a person being interviewed, then they can go a step further and change the context of the interview and they often do.

Welcome to the real world.



Letter to the Editor

Strawberry Festival raises \$40,000; chairman appreciates volunteers

Editor, *The Virginia Beach Sun*:
The 1992 Pungo Strawberry Festival, which ended on May 24, 1992, was a huge success due to the hard work and long hours of many individuals. Preliminary figures indicate that we should be able to donate over \$40,000 to community charitable organizations.

As chairman of this event, I would like to publicly acknowledge the help of all those who contributed to make the festival safe and enjoyable for those attending. Everyone associated with the festival works on a volunteer basis. I salute:

✓ All the committee chairman/chairwomen and the volunteers in their committees who performed the behind the scenes tasks to ensure the success of the festival.

✓ The residents and business owners in the Pungo community for their support and acceptance of this tremendous influx of people during festival days.

✓ Virginia Beach Sheriff Frank Drew and his deputies who coordinated the parking of cars in the dusty fields of Pungo. These deputies performed this

job voluntarily in order to raise revenues for their charity.

✓ Mr. Louis Cullipher and the members of his Strawberry Festival Leadership Team, city of Virginia Beach, for its tireless efforts in coordinating the many city services that are necessary for this event.

✓ The sponsors who contribute the monies, services and manpower to enable us to provide many of the events enjoyed during the festival.

Needless to say, this list is not all inclusive. Therefore, I would like to state that I sincerely appreciate all the work of all those involved in the planning and implementation of the 1992 edition of the Pungo Strawberry Festival.

I look forward to working with them to make the 1993 festival even better. It will be held on May 29 and 30.

David L. Pace, chairman
1992 Pungo
Strawberry Festival
Virginia Beach
May 28, 1992

Just A Chat with Linda Koutoufas

Linda Koutoufas organized and implemented parent and student workshops on "Girls in Math and Science" at Woodstock Elementary School. The workshops were intended to spark girls' curiosity about math and science careers, and to meet successful women presently employed in math and science careers.

Name: Linda Koutoufas.
Nickname: Kou.
Occupation: Third grade teacher, Woodstock Elementary School.

Neighborhood: Norfolk.
Hometown: Philadelphia, Pa.
How long have you lived in Norfolk: 15 years.

Last city you lived in before moving to Norfolk: Virginia Beach.

Age: 40.
Marital status: Married to Dennis for 15 years.
Children: Bees, 10 and Anne, 7.

What you love about your job: I love the children and interaction with them. I really love it when they understand something for the first time. It's like a light bulb comes on.

What you hate about your job: The paperwork.
If you didn't have your current job, you would be a: Involved in history.

Biggest accomplishment in your life: Being a good parent.

Secret to success: Being optimistic, to keep trying and being open-minded.

If you could change one aspect of your life to make it better, what would it be: Good health for my mother.

What most people don't know about you is: I have a passion for ice cream.

Best personality trait: Sense of humor.

Worst personality trait: Memory.

Biggest quirk: Eating cold pizza in the morning.

Pet peeve: People who empty their ashtrays on the highway.

If you had your life to live over again, what would you do differently: I wish I'd had more opportunity to get up in front of people and do more public speaking when I was younger.

If you won the lottery, what would you do with the money: I would do a lot of volunteer work and donate a lot of money, including grants to teachers.

Fun evening: Baltimore Orioles ball game and then to Harborside afterwards.

Fun weekend: Spending time outside.

Dream vacation: Going to Tetons in Wyoming.

I drive a: Camry station wagon.

Dream car: A paid for new Camry station wagon.

Favorite sport: Tennis to play, college basketball to watch.

Your favorite sports team: Baltimore Orioles.

Who do you most admire: My father, William Bridgeford.

What do you like to do to relax after a hard day's work: Read.

Your favorite food and drink: Ice cream and I don't have a favorite drink.

Food you hate the most: Asparagus.

Favorite restaurant: Gus' Mariner at 57th Street in Virginia Beach.

Favorite food to cook: Anything that can be microwaved quickly.

Favorite television program: *Northern Exposure*.

Favorite movie: Anything starring Kevin Costner.

Your favorite type of music: Classical.

Favorite entertainer: Luciano Pavarotti.

Favorite article of clothing: Jeans.

The happiest time in your life, so far: Each time my children were born.

If you were to become famous, what would you want to be famous for: That I made a difference to somebody.

What is the most fun time you have had in the past week: Deciding on the house we're going to have built this summer.

If you could pick just two of the following, which would you pick: brains, looks, a good personality or wealth? Brains and a good personality.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing the world: Environmental issues.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing Virginia Beach: We've grown too fast, and now we're having to pay for it.

What do you like most about Virginia Beach: The beach.

If you could spend 10 minutes alone with the President George Bush, what would you talk about?: Education and his failure to do anything about it: environmental and women's issues.

Off The Record

Bashing senator is good; bashing The Pilot is better

Beach's Albert D. Alberi has hit nail on the head

By GREG GOLDFARB
Virginia Beach Sun Managing Editor

It's true. From time to time there is U.S. Senator Charles Spittal Robb-bashing in this column. Big deal. Robb is a grown man, with serious personal, professional and political responsibilities about which he obviously cares nothing.

There are some readers, however, who feel sorry for people who are picked on by the media. But if we didn't try, sometimes we're successful than others, to put things in proper, even if somewhat cynical, satirical and tongue-in-cheek perspective for public consumption, who would? The purpose of most column writing is to be thought-provoking. And may it ever be so.

But I will admit one thing. Perhaps as much time shouldn't be spent on Robb-bashing as should be spent on Virginian-Pilot-bashing. Consider what Albert D. Alberi, Virginia Beach's chief deputy commonwealth's attorney, said recently in a letter to the editor published in The Virginian-Pilot about the Norfolk-based newspaper's coverage and editorials about the federal investigation of the senator who is currently fighting for his political life. The issue is over his social life in Virginia Beach and his camp's involvement in an illegally taped conversation about his rival, Governor L. Douglas Wilder.

What your editorial didn't tell the reader is that it has been your newspapers and not the United States Attorney's Office which has done the publicizing... your suggestion that the investigation has been deliberately delayed for political reasons is also garbage... your reporters got what you have printed by sniffing around for gossip... your newspapers are free to print whatever flimsy rumors about the investigation they choose... your own newspapers' behavior in this matter is the real issue; you are cleverly manipulating the public to sell newspapers.

For the most part, Alberi is right, and probably a Democrat - but that doesn't matter. And many, many people feel the way he does regardless of party affiliation.

Most of the negative publicity about Robb usually comes The Washington Post or the Roanoke or Richmond daily newspapers. Often, what appears in The Virginian-Pilot appeared in a slightly different form the day before in the Post. Many dailies consider themselves an investigative branch of the government; and certainly no one will deny there is a lot of cooperation, either through leaks or straight up, between the media and government to either help or hurt a particular situation or person. But to be fair, in general, the good newspapers do greatly outweigh the bad. And discerning good from bad, in political issues, for example, is all a matter of perspective.

All newspapers should welcome as many points of view as possible.

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Old Glory - long may she wave

Flag-burning issue enflames U.S. citizens

Sunday is Flag Day. It's a special time to fly the national emblem to express love of country and appreciation of the sacred rights of democracy. Our flag was adopted by the Continental Congress on June 14, 1777, 215 years ago.

In his Flag Day message in 1917, President Wilson said: "This flag,



Lil's Quill

which we honor and under which we serve, is the emblem of our unity, our power, our thought and purpose as a nation." Today, our flag is still a symbol of liberty, here and around the world.

To celebrate Flag Day this year, there will be a free patriotic concert at 3 p.m. on the lawn of the city's historic Francis Land House, 3131 Virginia Beach Boulevard. You might want to bring your lawn chair and a flag to wave.

Most Americans are patriotic and many fly the flag proudly every day. But there are some Americans who show no respect for the flag or the ideals for which it stands. Because of our form of government, they have every right to express their dissatisfaction by desecrating our national banner.

Yet, the last incident of flag-burning I can recall

To celebrate Flag Day this year, there will be a free concert on Sunday at 3 p.m. at the historic Francis Land House, 3131 Virginia Beach Boulevard.

was over a year ago to protest the Gulf War. Doesn't it seem ironic that a young man would perform such a hate-filled act to express his passion for peace? He was free to take this action and had no fear of punishment, because a decision by the Supreme Court in 1989 nullified flag-desecration laws.

Few issues have inflamed Americans so much as that ruling, which was particularly abhorrent to our nation's veterans. Many called for the Constitutional amendment, but clearer heads prevailed. After the initial indignation, citizens began to realize that more was at stake.

One columnist made us think more deeply when he posed such questions as: Would you rather live in a country where people want to burn the flag but cannot or in a country where people are free to burn the flag but do not? Should we Americans make political prisoners out of flag burners?

A retired Air Force General called on citizens to respond through individual actions, stating, "We the People can become involved in re-kindling the flames of love of country, respect for our nation's symbols, and a healthy understanding of our great democracy for which the flag stands."

Can you think of a better way to salute and honor our flag and country?

Certainty of the opportunity

This week's Virginia Beach Sun article was written by Keith Geiger, National Education Association president.

Private funding of public education is at an all-time high. Corporate contributions are growing steadily, with IBM, EXXON and RJR Nabisco leading the way. The New American Schools Development Corporation is spearheading an effort to raise \$150 to \$200 million from corporations to "invent the school of the future."

Private foundations give substantial sums to education research and reform. And some wealthy individuals make donations, like New York businessman Eugene Lang who started his "I Have a Dream"

When private funding is relied on, not to seed creativity or provoke unorthodox thoughts but to provide basic programs, quality education becomes a matter of luck.

program in 1981 with a promise to finance the college education of sixth-graders at East Harlem's P.S. 121.

Is this help beneficial? Beyond a doubt. With school districts reeling from massive budget cuts, outside help has never been more welcome. Private funds have always played a crucial role in efforts to reform and revitalize public education. In an article in the spring 1992 issue of the *Teachers College Record*, David Rockefeller, Jr. writes: "Historically, foundations have provided venture

The VBEA Report

Cheryl L. Tohac, president of the Virginia Beach Education Association.

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Here comes the sun

Hot, humid weather sends many Virginia Beach residents, local visitors and tourists to the beach to seek a tan, and

cool relief in the Atlantic Ocean. Sunbathers are warned, however, to wear a sun screen for protection.

Project LINK fights perinatal addiction

Substance-abuser moms, women targeted

It was with much excitement that I received the news this summer that Virginia Beach was selected to receive a grant to become one of five sites in the state to offer Project LINK.



The Mayor's Report

Mayor Meyera Oberdorf

Our Community Services Board took the initiative to write a grant proposal for this new venture. This federally funded project is designed to ultimately strive toward the prevention of perinatal addiction.

The model is based on the premise that many localities have the basic components to meet the multiple needs of substance-abusing women and mothers of young children. Services, however, tend to be fragmented and many service providers are not comfortable with assisting substance-abusing women.

Project LINK is designed to reduce the existing barriers to accessing services needed by these women and their infants by providing a

mechanism to coordinate existing services, improving communication on behalf of the client, enhancing the knowledge and skills of service providers and augmenting existing services to address the special needs of the target population.

The goals of Project LINK are to:

- Increase crossagency referrals of pregnant and postpartum substance abusing women.
- Enhance the availability and accessibility of prevention, early intervention and treatment services.

The model is based on the premise that many localities have the basic components to meet the multiple needs of substance-abusing women and mothers of young people.

- Decrease the incidence of alcohol and other drug use among pregnant and postpartum women.
- Optimize the development of infants born to substance using women.

The key components of Project LINK are:

- Coordination of service planning, delivery and data collection.
- Identification of gaps in service.
- Multidisciplinary professional training.
- Improvement of service access-

sibility via provision of child care, housing assistance and transportation.

- Provision of social support by trained resource mothers.
- Prevention, outreach and public education.
- Routine substance abuse history by clinic nurses.
- Substance abuse consultation to health providers.
- Follow-up services for prenatally substance exposed infants.
- Referral, screening, developmental assessment and monitoring of all substance-exposed infants.

■ Intervention services for infants.

■ Prevention services for families with prenatally substance exposed infants at risk of developmental delay.

Project LINK sites each have a system coordinator who receives direction and guidance from an implementation committee comprised of supervisors of interested agencies and organizations. Interagency agreements of confidentiality are signed by executive directors of all

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ceremony that marks the beginning of the move of his high school to Virginia Beach.

Pitt said the reason for moving the school, which currently has 345 students, to the new \$7.7 million building which will hold 450 to 500 students when it opens in fall of 1993, is simple.

There are currently 29,076 Catholics living in Virginia Beach, compared to Norfolk's 10,012, Pitt said.

Pitt said that more half of the school's students are from Virginia Beach. The school will remain open at its present location until the new, school opens its doors.

"That's one reason we're moving, because we're not convenient to the people we serve," he said.

In order to make the move, the school attained \$1.5 million last

year from the diocese to buy the 15-acre plot of land.

It is now up to the school to raise an additional \$3.5 million.

So far, said Pitt, the school has collected about \$900,000. It hopes to raise \$1.2 million in private donations toward the first phase of building by Tuesday, June 30.

Area churches are not involved in the fundraising, although many students are expected to come from local parishes once the new school is developed.

The construction of the three-phase project will take 10 to 15 years. It will eventually allow the school to accommodate as many as 650 students.

Pitt said another attraction to the school's site, besides being one which Bishop William Sullivan of the Richmond Diocese chose, is that there are many catholic

elementary schools in Virginia Beach. This move will make it more convenient for students to continue catholic education.

The next closest catholic high school in the area is Peninsula Catholic High School in Newport News. Moving Norfolk Catholic to Virginia Beach, according to the facilities plan, would not make it any more difficult on students coming from Portsmouth or Chesapeake.

"It's an ideal site," said Pitt. "It could hardly be more ideal."

A decision has not yet been made as to whether the school's name will change, and will probably be decided by Sullivan some time next year, before the school opens.

Pitt said that the new school will not affect the tuition.

"The tuition is going to take care of the operational costs," he said. "Not the building."



Parents and students cheer as Catholic leaders officially break the ground for the site of the new high school.

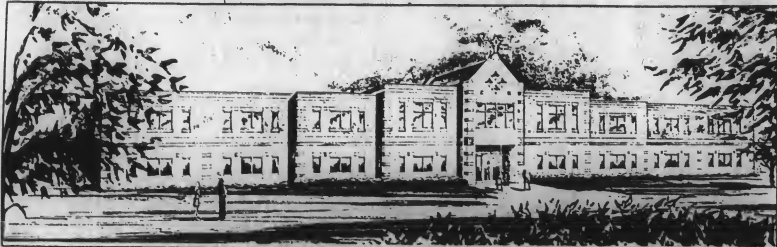


Students hold the 40-year-old drape of the emblem of Norfolk Catholic High School in front of Bishop Walter F. Sullivan as he offers enthusiastic support for the new project. His backdrop is a banner declaring "The Tradition Continues."

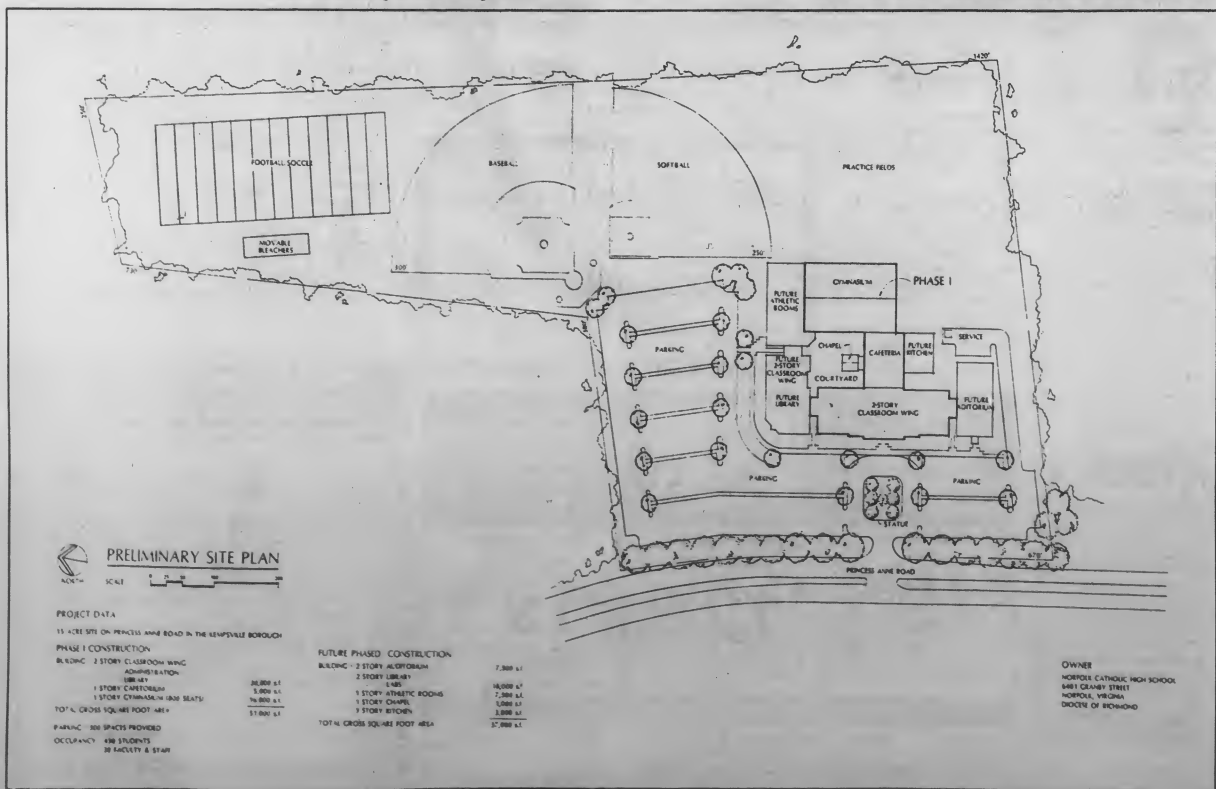
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Lewis Witt, '60, assists Bishop Sullivan as he blesses the land.



An artist's rendering of the new high school.





These raccoons, part of the a 4-H display, enjoyed the day romping about their cage under the supervision of Chesapeake wildlife rehabilitator Penny Vaughan.



A carousel was one of the many amusement rides that made the Pungo Strawberry Festival a fun event for children of all ages.



Chris Little, 20, a Chesapeake resident, helped cook 15 to 20, 65-pound cases of beef for the Beach Bully Restaurant stand at the festival.



From left, Tammy Dail, 29, a Pungo resident, and Pat Lowery, 26, of Indian Lakes, spent the weekend selling about 1,000 quarts of strawberries per day for Burroughs Farms.

Looking back at Strawberry festival

The ninth annual Pungo Strawberry Festival recently drew thousands to the weekend event.

The festival, a salute to the 120 acres of pick-your-own strawberry fields in Virginia Beach, also included many family entertainment events.

Many strawberry stands boasted quarts of fresh-picked strawberries, with some stands selling as many as 1,000 quarts per day.

Food vendors sold everything from strawberry ice cream and strawberry shortcake to hot dogs, beef, pretzels, funnel cakes and more.

Amusement rides with bright lights and music drew young and old, as well as an assortment of carnival-like games.

A 4-H area included pony rides, a livestock show, displays of rehabilitated wildlife and pig races, which ran once an hour during Saturday and Sunday festivities.

Some Virginia Beach high school students represented their schools in a strawberry pie-eating contest, while many watched.



Laura Jean Gross, 2, the daughter of Barbara and John S. Gross of Maple Bay, was one of many children who enjoyed the pony rides.



This unfortunate bovine finished last in one of the many pig racing contests. Because is so fat, his belly occasionally dragged on the ground, making race around the pen a difficult endeavor.

Council wants stricter residency requirements

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Borough just in time to file for the Blackwater Borough seat. All it took

Francis Land House activities set

The Francis Land House will present two special activities on Saturday, June 20.

At 10:30 a.m., a slide show and lecture will be held on "Uncovering Newtown." It will be presented by J. Mark Wittkofski, former staff archaeologist at the Virginia Re-

search Center for Archaeology at the time of Newtown Road excavations in 1978.

The lecture is being given to complement the exhibit entitled, "Newtown Uncovered: Pieces of Our Past" which will be on display at the Francis Land House until August 9.

The lecture is free, but reservations are required. Call 340-1732.

Also, on Saturday, June 20 at 2 p.m., the Francis Land House will present "The Tatletale Trash Can," a program for children and their families.

The program will also be held on Wednesday, July 15 and Saturday, July 18 at 2 p.m.

The house is located at 3131 Virginia Beach Boulevard. For reservations or for more information call 340-1732.

had requested a post office address change.

Miles, a 31-year-old ad agency president, had run for council twice before when she was a Bayside resident - once for an at-large seat and two years ago for the Bayside Borough seat. She lost those races.

Conceivably someone from outside the city could move into the city on the day he or she files for council and become a legitimate candidate.

The Blackwater situation, according to Baum, was especially sensitive because a suburban resident moved into a rural area, which has a different set of problems. Baum said that he would like to see what kinds of changes are necessary prior to revising the residency requirements.

Mayor Meyera Oberndorf said that

a similar incident occurred in the Kempsville Borough when the candidate filed for a council seat before his house in his new borough was completed.

Councilwoman Nancy Parker said that council should also look into residency requirements for state offices.

Baum said that other offices could be looked at later, but first he was interested in the council election policies. Just taking a candidate's address is not much of a requirement, he said.

Council supported Baum by a 9-0 vote. Councilmen Harold Heischner

and Paul J. Lantigne were absent.

Baum, who won the election with 22,606 votes, was followed by Miles with 16,140 votes. Jasnowski came in third with 13,500 votes.

Under the Virginia Beach system, seven of the council members represent the seven boroughs, and four, including the mayor, are elected at-large. However, all of the city's voters have a vote in all 11 contests.

A special task force has recommended a change to provide for more equal representation by dividing the city equally by population so that each district has approximately the same number of residents.

Redistricting also has been supported by a number of civic organizations including the Council of Civic Organizations and the Citizens Action Coalition.

Women's Review luncheon slated

The 1992 Women's Review luncheon, sponsored by The Central Business District Association of Virginia Beach and Centel Cellular, will be held on Friday, June 26 at 11:30 a.m. at the Omni Virginia Beach Hotel, 4453 Bonney Road.

The pre-luncheon beverage will be sponsored by WAVY TV 10.

The guest speaker will be Mary Klette, director of elections and polling for NBC News. Her topic will be, "Politics, Polls and the Unpredictability of 1992."

The cost of the luncheon is \$17.50. Reservations must be made by June 23.

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Looking north from Rudee inlet, the proposed surfing rules would hamper businesses next to the area in question.

Surfing area "overcrowded"

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dangerous."

The next most popular surfing area is the 800-foot stretch at Croatan, just south of the jetty.

Hudome said that Croatan residents are unhappy with the high volume of traffic in their neighborhood.

"Their problems are basically parking problems, no bathroom facilities, surfers changing their clothes in the middle of the street," said Hudome.

Hudome said that not all of the offenders are surfers, but some are visitors, including families.

A group of Croatan residents met for about five months to come up with solutions to the area's problems.

One of the group's major questions was, why is there an 800-foot area with no parking, restroom facilities and no beach access at Croatan, when at Rudee Inlet, there is only a 500-foot area that does have all these features?

"We've also got another 500-foot area a few blocks away that is under utilized," said Hudome.

West said that the 500-foot surfing area between 5th and 6th streets is rarely used.

By eliminating the 500-foot area between 5th and 6th streets, the section would become a swimming area.

The area at the 1st Street jetty would be enlarged from a 500-foot surfing zone to an 800-foot surfing zone.

For swimmers' safety, swimming is prohibited in a surfing zone.

There is currently a "sandwich" area of surfing at 1st Street, then a swimming area from 3rd to 5th streets, followed by a surfing area from 5th to 6th streets.

"You're better off having one solid block (of surfing) than a sandwich situation. That's just setting yourself up for injuries," said Donaldson Miele, 22, a man-

ager at Hotline surfboards on Norfolk Avenue near the oceanfront.

"If a kid is on a wave and the tube keeps going, he's going to go right with it, whether it's a swimming area or not."

West said that the sandwich is currently a "logistical nightmare," with three surfing boundaries instead of one.

West said that while a 200-foot net loss of surfing area has some people upset, he considers it a minor loss, because the area from 5th to 6th streets was underutilized.

The advantage to the plan, according to West, is to increase prime surfing area while, at the same time, relieving pressure from Croatan.

"You would draw some of the surfers from Croatan to the resort strip area," said Hudome. "What we're trying to do is address the problems at Croatan Beach. We got comments from (Oceanfront merchants from) 6th Street down. Some are for it, some are against it."

Hudome said that a group of about 15 to 16 people, including representatives from Croatan and ESA, are now meeting to negotiate, before bringing proposals to the Virginia Beach City Council.

Some of these issues were addressed once at a City Council meeting, but the issue was deferred until all surfing related issues could be addressed at once.

West said that any restrictions imposed would be in effect from Memorial Day to Labor Day.

Most businesses and merchants between 1st and 6th streets would somehow be affected.

Robert Yoder owns the Schooner hotel at 2nd Street and Atlantic Avenue. The Clarion Resort Hotel and Dolphin Run condominiums are located at 5th and 3rd streets along Atlantic Avenue. Robert Herman owns the Lighthouse Restaurant at 1st Street and the

loop parking lot.

Herman did not want to comment on the issue.

Bruce Thompson of Clarion Resort, Ken Hinnant of Virginia Beach Lifesaving Services and Yoder could not be reached for comment.

West, who has negotiated with the merchants, summarized their positions on the surfing zone changes.

"Mr. Herman is concerned that he won't be able to promote his parking because people will have to walk an additional 300 feet - that's 100 yards - to swim," said West.

"Mr. Yoder of the Schooner Hotel - he feels it's not a good business decision because the entire swimming area behind the hotel would be eliminated. His guest would have to walk 50 to 100 feet to go swimming. That's only 10 (a.m.) to 4 (p.m.), Memorial Day through Labor Day."

West said he doesn't think people "will stay out of his hotel because they have to walk an extra 50 feet to swim."

West said that, as a person who has organized surfing events, particularly in the 1st Street area, for 12 years, he sees people flock to the area.

"I can see that when I look up, there's more people there than anywhere else (further up the beach)," said West.

He said the girls are going to be there because the surfers are. The surfers are going to be there because the waves and the girls are there.

"The tourists love to go out and watch these surfers dancing on these waves," said West. Another reason they would still go to the six-block area north of the jetty is the volleyball games, vendors, public restrooms and fishing at the jetty.

Although West said that by next week the group would be back before the City Council, Hudome said it could be as early as next week, two months away or be postponed until next year.



Still in renovation stages, the plumbing and heating systems in this second floor bathroom need to be fixed.



Before restoration began, the DeWitt cottage was overgrown with many plants and bushes.



Volunteers are working to restore the rooms in the cottage, such as this large den on the first floor.

DeWitt Cottage's change to museum in "embryo" stage

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and the city, the cottage was required to stay that color.

In Phase II, electricity, plumbing, heating and air conditioning will be modernized and should be completed this fall, said Baillio.

In the early days, high ceilings allowed ventilation of hot and cold air. The many windows in the upstairs bedrooms, some of which are more the size of a large closet, were used to circulate air.

In the summers, a trek up the steep and skinny stairwell to the spacious attic with a slanted ceiling would serve as a getaway spot for the sisters.

Climbing up the ladder-like steps to the attic ceiling, one could pop open doors to the roof, climb out and sit under a tiny gazebo.

As part of the renovation, three of the house's four original chimneys remain, with fireplaces on the first and second floors. Once renovation is complete, the Virginia Beach Foundation will turn the property over to the city, and the Back Bay Wildfowl Guild will occupy the house.

Although the property sits on a prime section of the oceanfront, between the boardwalk and Atlantic Avenue, the land is not large enough to build even a tiny hotel upon it. Tearing down the building would cost \$5,000 to \$6,000.

"It would cost more in sand to fill in the basement than to haul it away," said Baillio.

Although unconfirmed rumors circulated that the hotel next door to the cottage may have been interested in expanding onto part of the lot at one time, the expense of doing so would probably not have been worth it.

Baillio said that the city is probably not losing the revenue on the land, because, bare, it is worth "very little."

As part of Phase III of the project, the Back Bay Wildfowl Guild will occupy the center, which will focus on the educational components of the center. Professionals will design and build wildfowl exhibits of art and artifacts, as well as some "working" exhibits that move.

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VBEA report

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capital for educational innovation and intellectual capital for education's political economy."

But today, continues Rockefeller, "the federal role is being redefined and philanthropy has been called on again - this time to fund, not shape, a dramatically circumscribed federal agenda."

Rockefeller's point is that while outside funding has traditionally supported innovations that challenge conventional wisdom, today's education reform agenda is defined by mainstream politics - with corporate contributors asked to foot the bill.

This practice threatens to obscure the fact that private funding is - and must remain - supplemental. Because public education is the cornerstone of our democracy, funding is first and foremost a public responsibility. Providing quality public education cannot and must not rest with the largesse of those in the private sector.

When private funding is relied on, not to seed creativity or provoke unorthodox thoughts but to provide basic programs, quality education becomes a matter of luck.

I applaud Eugene Lang's college financing for the class of P.S. 121 sixth-graders. He provided those children with an unequivocal promise that they could accomplish their dream. I applaud IBM and other corporations for their contributions to many of the schools associated with the NEA National Center for Innovation. They have enabled dedicated teachers to accomplish wonderful things in their classrooms.

But I also think about the children who were fifth-graders at P.S. 121 in 1981. Were they any less worthy than the children in the sixth grade? I think about the students in schools not yet reached by programs developed through the NEA Innovation Center. Are those students any less deserving of education excellence?

Quality education is too fundamental to be left to chance. Ensuring adequate funding is a public obligation, not a private option. All the essentials - from decent school facilities to reasonable class size to computers and other learning tools - must be provided by public funds.

Meeting that requirement demands greater responsiveness and more responsibility on the part of the federal government. It also demands reforming our tax structure so that we no longer rely so heavily on the inherently inequitable property tax to determine school funding levels.

I recently had the opportunity to testify before the Senate Education Appropriations Committee with Dr. Blenda Wilson, chancellor of the University of Michigan at Dearborn. Dr. Wilson spoke of the need for "certainty of opportunity." That's what Eugene Lang provided the sixth graders at P.S. 121 - the certainty that if they succeeded at learning, opportunity would be theirs.

There will always be a critical role for outside support of schools. But we can't ask private donors to provide certainty of opportunity for all students. That's a public responsibility - and it must be met with public funds.

Project LINK fights perinatal drug addiction

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lead agencies, (Community Services Board, Health Department, Social Services, Family Services, and Virginia Extension Service), to assure interagency collaboration.

Virginia Beach's site has been operation since Dec. 1, 1991, and has been accepting clients since Feb. 1, 1992. To refer for services or to request additional information, please contact the Project LINK Coordinator, Pat Barnes at 473-5679.

This article was compiled through the courtesy of Pat Barnes, Project LINK coordinator, Comprehensive Abuse, City of Virginia Beach.

Professional secretaries to hold meeting

The Tidewater Chapter, Professional Secretaries International, will hold its monthly dinner meeting on Tuesday, June 16 at the Holiday Inn Executive Center, Greenwich Road at Newtown Road.

Networking will be at 5:30 p.m. and dinner at 6 p.m. Cost is \$11.50. Program will include, "Citizens Against Crime."

Contact Charlotte Scott at 628-7023 for reservations.

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A common misconception is that "baggy" upper eyelids and "droopy" upper eyelids are the same problem. Not so. According to Dr. Blaylock, they are different conditions and require different surgical procedures to correct. Patients with "baggy" or "droopy" eyelids can experience significant improvement of visual function and cosmetic appearance if proper corrective surgery is performed.

For more information on causes and treatment, contact the office of William K. Blaylock, M.D. at 533-LIDS (5437).

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Virginia Wesleyan College President Lambuth M. Clarke presents diplomas, for the last time, to the Class of 1992. He will retire on July 31, after 26 years at Virginia Wesleyan College.



VWC assistant director for development, Jesse H. Fanshaw, III, holds an umbrella while the Eastern Virginia Brass Quintet played at commencement.



VWC graduate Tisha Michelle Jermin, of Bronx, N.Y., is surrounded by family members.



Virginia Beach's Patricia A. Fillmore is happy to have her diploma.



Virginia Beach resident Michelle L. Bieranowski is hooded by VWC political science professor William M. Jones, on left, and biology professor Paul M. Ressler, after receiving her diploma. Michael K. Blank, third from left, of German, waits his turn.



Dr. Linda A. Ferguson, a VWC associate professor of management/business/economics, is the 1992 recipient of the Samuel Nelson Gray Distinguished Teaching Award. Dr. Daniel W. Graf, history professor, presents the award as President Lambuth Clark looks on.

George J. Farrugia, Virginia Wesleyan College Student Government Association president, announces the Class of 1992's contribution to The Lambuth M. Clark Endowed Professorship in English.



Virginia Wesleyan College Class of '92 had 260 graduates

Four students earned top academic honors to lead the 260-member Class of 1992 at Virginia Wesleyan College.

The college's 23rd annual commencement, held recently at the college, featured Douglas Walter Foard, executive secretary of Phi Beta Kappa in Washington, D.C., who addressed the Class of 1992, the largest in the college's history.

This was the last commencement for President Lambuth M. Clarke who has personally presented diplomas to all of the college's graduates, beginning with the first class in 1970.

The four graduates receiving their bachelor of arts degrees summa cum laude were David Allan Lang, Erie, Pa.; Michele Lee Mazzarulli, Middletown, N.Y.; Stephanie Joyce Traynor, Hockessin, Del.; and William Henry Wandless, Nashua, N.H.

Also graduating magna cum laude were Virginia Beach residents Kirby Ray Broyles, Maria de la Torre, Kathy Eileen Harrocks, Leonard Lee Hemphill, Gerald William Hudgins, Kimberlee Kelle Jordan, Susan Teresa Nootnagel and Linda Jacqueline Porter.



Linda Jacqueline Porter, a student in the college's Adult Studies Program, is congratulated by President Clarke.



Virginia Beach's Dana Stephen Sean Wheaton is happy to receive his degree.



Nick Savage, traveling teacher on the Chesapeake Bay Marine Lab, gives children from Thalia Elementary School a close-up look at a nurse shark. The laboratory is the only

one in the state that takes live local specimens into the schools of the state. Thalia Elementary was the first school to be visited by the lab. (Photo by Carole J. Arnold)

Chesapeake Bay Marine Lab carries the sea across the state

45,000 students served so far

By JERI JOHNSON
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The Virginia Marine Science Museum Mobile Laboratory is an innovative traveling classroom that can carry a slice of the Chesapeake Bay to landlocked communities across the state.

Now a child in the mountains of western Virginia can touch the sandpaper skin of a live nurse shark or watch a puffer fish go on the defensive and blow up to twice its normal size. Inaugurated in spring 1992, the Chesapeake Bay Marine Lab is the only mobile laboratory in the state that takes live local specimens into the schools of the state. The mobile lab is specially outfitted with aquariums that will keep a large variety of marine animals healthy on the road. The aquariums are portable, easily transported into classrooms and auditoriums, while the truck itself is also large enough to accommodate groups of students and other visitors for a walk-through visit.

The interior of the lab is 20-by-8-by 81 feet. Waterproof, it is equipped with seawater tanks, drains, a generator and sophisticated climate controls which help maintain the animals' safety. Three doors, one on the side and two at the rear, allow a steady stream of people to walk through the lab so large crowds can enjoy the exhibits.

The lab was donated by Isuzu Corporation and Checkered Flag Motor Company. Funding for the programs and exhibits also has come from the Gwathmey Foundation and the Virginia Department of Education grants.

The mobile laboratory will greatly aid the museum's traveling Chesapeake Bay programs which began visiting schools within a close radius of the museum in 1990, and have served more than 45,000 students. Schools will be the mobile lab's primary focus but it also will be available for teacher inservice training, festivals and other events.

A school can schedule large assembly programs or "hands-on" classroom mini-labs for up to 30 students. A combination of each is also available. The traveling programs for grades K-12 include topics such as sharks, Chesapeake Bay fishes and endangered species. Curriculums are sent to teachers prior to their visit and are designed specifically to bring an awareness of the bay to students far away from its shores. Teachers may receive more information about the Virginia Marine Science Museum Mobile Laboratory or ask to be placed on the program mailing list by calling 437-4949.



There was a good crowd on hand at the Optimist International Students Night.

Optimists host 25 students from 13 different countries

By MAURY JACKSON
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The International Students Night, hosted by the Optimist Club of Virginia Beach at Eastern Shore Chapel for foreign exchange students attending Virginia Beach high schools, attracted 25 students from 13 different foreign countries. Peggy Schremp, a member of the Virginia Beach club, was chairperson of the event. The evening's program included a "welcome" by Maury Jackson, club president, and an explanation of "Optimism" by Les Cox, a club member and former Optimist Capital-Virginia district governor.

There were also dissertations by each student on what country they were from, what they liked or disliked about America, and what they were going to do this summer. Each was presented with a copy of the Optimist Creed and will be sent an Honorary Citizen of Virginia Beach Certificate signed by the mayor.

The evening ended with a social hour and refreshments. More than 75 students, Optimists and guest attended the evening's events.

The foreign students attending and their home country included: Simone Arle, Jan Moolok and Oliver Voss from Germany; Anne Kuppainen and Maant Heinained from Finland; Nana Kijima, Akiko Miyamoto, Kozue Nojima and Tomomi Yamamoto from Japan; Danijela Korom from Yugoslavia; Andy DeBook from Belgium; Nathalie Garrel from France; Jessica Jansson, Josef Danell and Johan Maen from Sweden; Ellen Wind Rigmolt and Lea Nielsen from Denmark; Victoria Girbes from Spain; Irina Blokhin from Russia; Erki-Jan Kwintien and Wienieke Mulder from the Netherlands; and Corinne Ammann and Katrin Fischer from Switzerland.



Peggy Schremp chats with a foreign exchange student.



A student tells his personal story.

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PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH:

3. An Ordinance upon Application of Williams Holding Corp., and Joseph E. & Jack P. Burroughs for a Conditional Use Permit for single family homes in the Agriculture District on certain property located on the southwest side of Seaboard Road, 3500 feet more or less northwest of Princess Anne Road. Said parcel contains 264.62 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH:

4. An Ordinance upon Application of Welcome Corp., DBA Thrifty Car Rental for a Conditional Use Permit for a car rental establishment at the southern terminus of North Mall Drive, west of Lynnhaven Parkway. Said parcel is

located at 701 N. Lynnhaven Parkway and contains 100 square feet. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

STREET CLOSURE:

LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH:

5. Application of Whitl Sessoms, III, for the discontinuance, closure and abandonment of a portion of a 15 foot alley adjacent to Lots 4, 5, 16 and 17, Block 20, Croatan Beach. Said alley contains 1,500 square feet. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

AMENDMENTS:

6. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Section 801 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to use regulations for social centers, clemensary establishments and athletic clubs in the Office Districts.

7. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Section 501 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to use regulations for child care centers and child care education centers in churches.

8. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend Section 227 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to borrow pits. More detailed information is available in the Planning Department.

9. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain the City Zoning Ordinance. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director regarding development review and submital. It is also proposed that Section 221(b) (2), pertaining to fees for conditional use permit applications for single family dwellings in the AG-1 Agricultural District, be deleted.

10. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Appendix B Subdivision Regulations of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director regarding development review and submital.

11. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Appendix C Site Plan Ordinance of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director regarding development review and submital.

12. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Appendix F Chesapeake Bay Preservation Area Ordinance of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will delete the staff review committee and accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director regarding development review and submital.

13. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Appendix E, Tree Planting, Preservation and Replacement, of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director regarding development review and submital. Other amendments are proposed pertaining to variances and appeals.

14. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Section 6-13 of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director.

15. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Sections 6-137, 6-139, 6-152 and 6-154 of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director.

16. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain

Section 30.41 of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director.

17. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Sections 30-57, 30-59 and 30-61 of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director.

18. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Section 33.6 of the City Code. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director.

19. Motion of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Chapter 19 of the City Code regarding mobile homes. Numerous changes are proposed that will accurately reflect functions to be performed by the planning director.

RECONSIDERATION OF CONDITIONS:

20. Application of Rosemont Forest Commercial Assoc., for a reconsideration of conditions placed on the application for a conditional use permit for commercial recreational facility other than that of an outdoor nature (slot car raceway) on November 26, 1991. Said property is located in Unit #33 at 4221 Pleasant Valley Road.

KEESVILLE BOROUGH:

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Ruth Hodges Smith, CMC/AE City Clerk

If you are physically disabled, hearing or visually impaired and need assistance, please call DONNA JOHNSTON at 427-4283 VOICE or TDD by June 19, 1992.

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Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 29th day of May, 1992.

Lisa Butler, Plaintiff, against Randy Butler, Defendant. Docket #CH92-1175

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii and sole custody of Tammie Casson from the said defendant, upon the grounds of having lived separate and apart for more than one year.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being 533 W. Walnut Street, Allentown, PA 18019.

It is ordered that Randy Butler do appear on or before the 20th of July, 1992, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A copy—Teste: J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk By: Linda D. Jones, D.C. K. Reed Mayo, P.4. P.O. Box 3889 Norfolk, VA 23514 625-5501

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Public Notice

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 29th day of May, 1992.

In re: Adoption of John Stever to be known as John Holman

By: Larry Allan Holman and Lisa Burek Holman, Petitioners

To: Andrew James Stever, 684 White Cedar Road, Toms River, New Jersey 08753

IN CHANCERY#92-110

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

This day make Larry Allan Holman and Lisa Burek Holman, Petitioners, and represented that the object of this proceeding is to effect the adoption of the above named infant John Stever, by Larry Allan and Lisa Burek Holman, husband and wife, and affidavit having been made and filed that Andrew James Stever, a natural parent of said child, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being: 684 White Cedar Road, Toms River, New Jersey 08753.

It is therefore Ordered that the said Andrew James Stever appear before this Court within ten (10) days after publication of this Order and indicate his attitude toward the proposed adoption, or otherwise do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

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A copy teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones, D.C.
Theodore A. Boyce, p.c.
2648 Virginia Beach Blvd.
Virginia Beach, VA 23452

24-5
417-1VB5

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 3rd day of June, 1992.

In re: Adoption of Katelyn Danyale Bowman
By: Sandra Rose Compton and Donald Floyd Compton, Petitioners
To: James McCraw, 4629 Hillyard Drive, Louisville, Kentucky 40216

IN CHANCERY WCA92-92
ORDER OF PUBLICATION

This day came Sandra Rose Compton and Donald Floyd Compton, Petitioners, and represented that the object of this proceeding is to effect the adoption of the above named infant Katelyn Danyale Bowman, by Donald Floyd and Sandra Rose Compton, husband and wife, and affidavit having been made and filed that James McCraw, a natural parent of said child, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being: 4629 Hillyard Drive, Louisville, Kentucky 40216, the diligence having been made by and on behalf of the petitioners herein to ascertain what city or county the natural father is in, without effect.

It is therefore Ordered that the said James McCraw appear before this Court within ten (10) days after publication of this Order and indicate his attitude toward the proposed adoption, or otherwise do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A copy teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Rhonda V. Tynes, D.C.
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Public Notice

Virginia Beach City Council will hold a PUBLIC HEARING at its Formal Session, Tuesday, June 23, 1992, at 6:00 PM, to RECONSIDER Condition No. 4 in the April 28, 1992, approved application of MOST REVEREND WALTER F. SULLIVAN, BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE OF RICHMOND for a Conditional Use Permit for a Catholic high school on the East side of Princess Anne Road (KEMPSVILLE BOULEVARD).

Ruth Hodges Smith, CMC/AE City Clerk

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Public Notice

Auction: 1980 Cadillac Seville #5883
Serial Number: #6569NAE686-821
Auction date: June 23, 1992
Time: 11:00 a.m. at Norfolk Motor Company, 7000 N. Military Hwy., Norfolk, Virginia 23518.
Norfolk Motor Company reserves the right to Bid.

24-1
116-10VB5

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 22nd day of May, 1992.

James Greco, Plaintiff, against Pamela Jane Greco, Defendant.
Docket # CH92-1659

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce a Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of separation lasting for more than one (1) year pursuant to Section 20-91 (9) of the code of Virginia (50-91) as amended.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being 931-B E. State Boulevard, Charleston, South Carolina 29414.

It is ordered that Pamela Jane Greco do appear on or before the 13th of July, 1992, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general

circulation in this city.

A copy - Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Raymond W. Bjorkman, D.C.

Theodore A. Boyce, p.c.
2648 Virginia Beach Boulevard
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Public Notice

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH
Re: RUTH MYERS HUBBARD, deceased
IN CHANCERY NO. CH92-1326

SHOW CAUSE
AGAINST DISTRIBUTION

It is ORDERED that the creditors of, and all others interested in, the above estate show cause, if any they can, on June 19, 1992, AT 9:30 a.m., before this Court, at its Courthouse, Municipal Center, Virginia Beach, Virginia, against the payment and delivery of the Estate to the legatees without requiring refunding bonds.

It appearing to the Court that reports of the accounts of William L. Myers and Howard S. Myers, Jr., Executors of the above estate and of the debts and demands against the estate have been filed in the Clerk's office and that six months have elapsed since the qualification, and upon motion of the personal representatives, it is further ORDERED that the foregoing portion of this Order be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

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J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
Circuit Court, Virginia Beach, Va.

BY: Rhonda V. Tynes
Deputy Clerk

I ASK FOR THIS:
E.T. Caton

23-1
216-10VB5

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH

On the 15th day of May, 1992
LESTER E. MELTON, and
EDYTHA CHILDS-MELTON,
Petitioners, vs

CHARLIE J. TRIMBLE and
SANDRA J. TRIMBLE, and
PARTIES UNKNOWN, WHOSE
NAMES ARE ALSO UNKNOWN
AND IF THE RESPONDENTS BE
DEAD, THEIR SURVIVING
CONSORTS, IF ANY THERE BE,
THE RESPONDENT'S
CHILDREN AND INFANTS, IF
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LIEN CREDITORS, AND THE
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INTEREST IN THE SUBJECT
MATTER OF THIS SUIT, ALL
OF WHOSE NAMES AND POST
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COMPLETELY UNKNOWN;
THAT ALL OF SAID PARTIES
ARE HEREBY MADE PARTIES
RESPONDENT TO THIS PRO-
CEEDING BY THE GENERAL
DESCRIPTION OF PARTIES
UNKNOWN, Respondents.

Chancery No. CH92-1385
ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is to release a certain Deed of Trust, evidenced by a Note that has been satisfied, granted unto Charlie J. Trimble and Sandra J. Trimble, their heirs and assigns, by Lester E. Melton and Edytha Childs-Melton, and recorded in the Clerk's Office aforesaid in Deed Book 2642, at Page 1655. The property to be released from said Deed of Trust is situated in the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, and more particularly described as follows:

All those certain lots, piece or parcels of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate, lying and being in the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, and being known, numbered and designated as Lots 30 and 31, in Block 45, as shown on the Plat entitled "Plat of Pecan Gardens, Property of Tri-State Development Corporation" which Plat is duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, in Map Book 7, at page 70.

An Affidavit having been made and signed, which is attached hereto as Exhibit "B," that your Petitioners have used due diligence in attempting to locate Charlie J. Trimble and/or Sandra J. Trimble and having been unable to do so, it is hereby Ordered, that each of the said Respondents appear on or before July 31, 1992, and do whatever is necessary to protect their interest in said land.

It is further Ordered that the Order of Publication be published once a

week for four (4) consecutive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia.

J. CURTIS FRUIT, CLERK
Circuit Court, City of Virginia Beach

BY Linda D. Jones, D.C.
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22-10
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Public Notice

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF RICHLAND IN THE FAMILY COURT
92-DR-40-1493

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES, Plaintiff, vs

Tyrone E. Webb; Charles Little and Jared Rudolph Nicholas Webb (DOB: 9-8-1989) a minor under the age of 18, Defendants.

SUMMONS AND NOTICE
TO THE DEFENDANT(S)

NAMED ABOVE: CHARLES LITTLE YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the complaint in this action, the original of which has been filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County, on the 18th day of March, 1992, a copy of which will be delivered to you upon your request; and to serve a copy of your Answer to said complaint upon the undersigned attorney for Plaintiff at their offices at 1535 Confederate Avenue, North Towers Building, Columbia, South Carolina, 29201, within thirty (30) days following the date of service upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to an-

swer said complaint within the statutory time of thirty days allotted, judgement by default will be rendered against you for the relief demanded in said complaint.

S. C. DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES
OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

By: Warren A. Kohn, Staff Attorney
Columbia, South Carolina
13 day of May, 1992.

swear said complaint within the statutory time of thirty days allotted, judgement by default will be rendered against you for the relief demanded in said complaint.

S. C. DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES
OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

By: Warren A. Kohn, Staff Attorney
Columbia, South Carolina
13 day of May, 1992.

22-4
316-10VB5

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 12th day of May, 1992.

Billy Wayne Wallace, Jr., Plaintiff, against

Donna Darlene Dillon Wallace, Defendant.

Docket # CH92-1378

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of one year separation.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being P.O. Box 701, Cotton Valley, LA.

It is ordered that Donna Darlene Dillon Wallace do appear on or before the 3rd of July, 1991, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A copy - Teste:

J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
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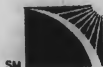
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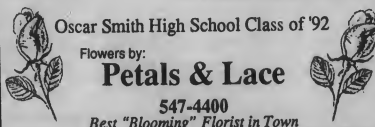


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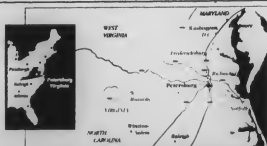
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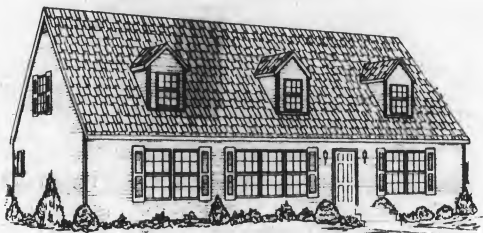
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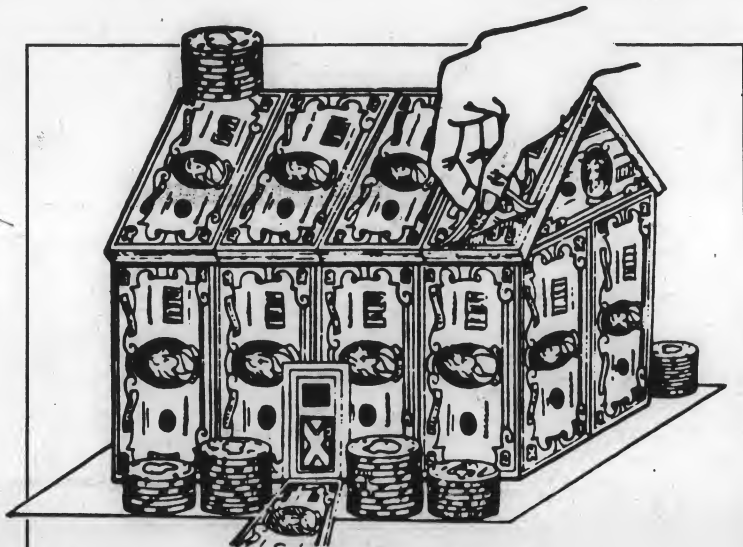
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Boardwalk art show features 350 artists

About \$700,000
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By SHARON BANKS

Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The Virginia Beach Center for the Arts will once again present that most popular Virginia Beach summer event, the Boardwalk Art Show.

Less than two months from now 350 artists from all over the United States will converge at the oceanfront for the four-day show.

From Thursday, June 18 through Sunday, June 21 an estimated 350,000 visitors will stroll the 13-block exhibition area, and in the process will spend approximately \$700,000 on original fine art and crafts.

The show hours have been extended to allow local art aficionados some afterwork viewing time. The exhibitors and the food vendors will remain on the boardwalk from 10

a.m. until 7 p.m. In addition, a beer tent located at 24th Street park will operate from 11 a.m. until 6:30 p.m., with continuous musical entertainment on the stage there.

This year's T-shirt design was submitted by Josiah Cary, a Vo-Tech advertising arts student. It features a stylized wave building, cresting and finally breaking across a series of four canvases. In its simplicity the design manages to

the likes of which may be seen strolling the boardwalk during any given time during the show. The poster art competition was held this year among artists who have exhibited in the Boardwalk Show during the last five years, the winner was Carol Cook, a West Virginia artist, who will be located in space #1817 in this year's show. The t-shirts and posters will be sold in each of three information tents

BOARDWALK ART SHOW FACTS

- Show is in its 37th year and is billed as one of the East Coast's oldest and largest.
- Prize money totals \$15,000.
- More than 400 volunteers work to produce the show.
- Art will extend from 18th to 31st Streets.

incorporate two of the most outstanding images of the Boardwalk Show. The poster design also features a popular Boardwalk image. Les Dameselles sur la Plage offers five stylish bathing beauties,

along the exhibition area. Judges for the show are three professionals well qualified to determine the recipients of \$15,000 in cash and purchase



The art show will run from 18th to 31st Street.

awards. They are Ted Potter, executive director of the Atlantic Center for the Arts in New Smyrna Beach, Fla., and former director of SECCA; Nohra Haime of Nohra Haime Gallery in New York; and Edwin Ritts, Jr., executive director of the Asheville Art Museum, Asheville, N.C. Awards will be presented at a ceremony held at the Virginia Beach Center for the Arts. Event chairman is Mary Denny. Co-chairman is Lynda Strickler. Boardwalk Art Show distinctions include:

- One of the longest-running and largest shows of its type on the East Coast. 1992 marks its 37th year.

- 350 artists will participate, coming from almost every state in the country to display and sell their original fine art and crafts.
- Prize money totals \$15,000. Best-In-Show wins \$2,500.
- 400+ volunteers help stage the show.

□ See BOARDWALK, Page 7

Beach Clinton camp waiting for convention

Chairman Ken Geroe gives campaign views

This is the second article in a three-part series on the local camps of the presidential election campaigns of President George Bush, a Republican, Democratic Party candidate Bill Clinton and undeclared Independent party candidate Ross Perot.

By M.J. RICHARDS
Virginia Beach Sun Staff Writer

Although the national presidential election campaign is heating up, the Democratic Party in Virginia Beach has, so far, done nothing to gain local support for Arkansas Governor Bill Clinton.

And it doesn't plan to do anything until after the national Democratic convention to be held July 13 to 16 in New York, according to Kenneth V. Geroe.

Geroe, a Great Neck resident, is Democratic Party chairperson of Virginia's second congressional district, which includes all of Virginia Beach and a portion of Norfolk.

Why is the local Democratic campaign at a standstill? "At this point, you're more focused on what you have to do to win the (party) nomination and what you have to do at the convention, not what you have to do to win in the fall," said Geroe.

"You're more focused on what you have to do to win the nomination and what you have to do at the convention, not what you have to do to win in the fall."

Kenneth V. Geroe, second congressional district Democratic Party chair

After the national convention, the 76 local delegates who supported Clinton in New York will help kick-off the local campaign, with the help of other volunteers. Because the bulk of the local effort's supplies are furnished by the national and state campaigns, the 2nd

□ See BEACH, Page 7

Miss Virginia Beach/Miss Tidewater



Pageant participants, left to right: Laura Camper, non-finalist, talent winner, Miss Tidewater pageant; Tracy Higerson, second runner-up, Miss Tidewater; Stephanie Cash, first runner-up, Miss Tidewater; April Wilson, Miss Tidewater, 1992; Shannon Holley, Miss Virginia Beach, 1992; and Susan Jacobs, second runner-up, Miss Virginia Beach.

Shannon Holley, April Wilson: Miss Virginia Beach; Tidewater

By POLLY PEARCE
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The Miss Virginia Beach/Miss Tidewater pageants were held recently at the Virginia Beach Pavilion. About 500 people attended.

There were 12 girls vying for the two titles. This is the final step on the local level of the Miss America Scholarship Program.

Shannon Holley was crowned 1992 Miss Virginia Beach. April Wilson was selected as Miss Tidewater.

Both girls will compete in the Miss Virginia Pageant July the 11th in Roanoke. The winners of that pageant will compete in the Miss American Pageant in September.

First runners-up were Megan Hermes and Stephanie Cash; second runners-up were Susan Jacobs and Tracy Higerson.

Swimsuit winners were Shannon Holley and Jennifer Sexton, a Cox High School graduate, who tied for Miss Virginia Beach and April Wilson won Miss Tidewater.

Non-finalist talent winners were Michala Sumnick and Laura Camper.

The mistress of ceremonies was Sandra Lee, and the Katz and Jammers Band played for the pageant, along with Susan Browney and the Golden Slipper Dancers.

Shannon Michelle Holley is a 22-year-old senior at Longwood College. She is the daughter of Mr. Dean Holley and Mrs. Jan Ainsley of Virginia Beach.

1992 Miss Tidewater, April Wilson, is 23. A graduate of the University of Virginia, she is the daughter of Drs. Harrison and Lucy Wilson of Norfolk. Her father is president of Norfolk State University.



Jennifer Sexton, Miss Virginia Beach swimsuit winner.



Shannon Holley, Miss Virginia Beach swimsuit winner.

Shrine Circus under the tent this weekend

Elephants, tigers, "Globe" in Kempsville

By HARRY NICHOLAS
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

Khedive Temple's 29th Annual Hamid-Morton Shrine Circus will be presented from June 18 to 21 at the Union-Kempsville Stadium, on Virginia Beach Boulevard at Wick-duck Road.

Two performances will be held daily, at 2:30 and 8 p.m. on Thursday and Friday. Three performances on Saturday, at 12:30, 4 and 8 p.m., and two on Sunday at 4 and 8 p.m.

Benefiting Shrine activities in the Tidewater area, this all-new 3-ring circus is family entertainment with no side-shows or added attractions. The general admission of \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children for the entire performance, which is presented within the stadium infield.

Each year Khedive Temple, through the generosity of local merchants, make available free tickets to deserving children, disabled persons and senior citizens. More than 60,000 free tickets are being distributed this year by Tidewater police and fire departments, civic organizations and members of Khedive Temple's Circus Daddy's Club.

Headlining this years Hamid-Morton Shrine Circus will be The Urias and their "Globe of Death," a pair of thundering motorcycles inside a giant steel ball.

An array of acrobats, jugglers, trapeze artist and clowns make up the 24-hour performance.

No circus is complete without the animals. This year we have Trudy Strong and her colossal tigers, and the Hawthorn Elephants.

The general chairman of Khedive Temple's 29th Annual Circus is George T. Stagg. Executive vice chairman is Ray Zartman. The circus phone number may be obtained from the Temple's recorder, 622-5206.

Perot office open

Christina Bublick, co-chair of Virginians For Perot, Southeast Region, has announced that the group has acquired space for its official regional campaign headquarters.

The location is 5441 Virginia Beach Boulevard, Suite 111-112, across and two blocks west from Haynes Furniture.

The new and permanent telephone number is 49-PEROT (497-3768).

□ See PARKING, Page 5

Parking permits required for certain sections of the resort

Locals complain of noise, threats and bad language

By LEE CAHILL

Virginia Beach Sun City Council Reporter

Street partying for late night revellers is getting harder all the time. Just last week City Council adopted an ordinance, by a vote of 10-1, which requires special permits for parking in certain resort neighborhoods.

The permits will be offered to residents located within a half-mile

of a city-metered regulated area for \$15 a vehicle; for businesses for \$20 a vehicle; for lodging establishments for \$20 a vehicle, and a residential guest pass will go for \$2 for three days, \$5 for seven days and \$10 for 14 days.

For the permit parking to go into effect in the neighborhoods, 51 percent or more of the residents will have to request the special treatment. That shouldn't be too difficult since the program has been endorsed by the hotel and motel operators, retailers, restaurants, the Resort Area Advisory Commission, the Resort Leadership Council, the

civic associations of Lakewood, Pinewood Park and Old Beach and the 2nd Precinct Citizen Advisory Committee.

The ordinance can be implemented within 30 days after the city manager receives a petition from residents. It limits parking on streets between the hours of 11 p.m. and 6 a.m. to permit holders.

Along with that ordinance, City Council extended the metered parking hours of enforcement from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. to 9 a.m. to 2 a.m. The meter enforcement will be in effect from May 1 to Oct. 1 south of 30th Street.

A few weeks earlier, council outlawed street "cruising" on Atlantic Avenue, a kind of street partying in motion.

Councilman Paul J. Lantaigne would have the city enforce 24-hour metered parking, even without specific people assigned to enforcement in the middle of the night/morning hours.

Rick Noia, representing the restaurant community, supported the ordinances saying that the metered parking is related to the neighborhood parking.

Editorials

Watch your pets

With all the nice, warm weather we've been having, taking pets outside for walk or a romp in the sunshine might seem like a great idea.

While Rover and Fluffy deserve to have fun too, it's important for Virginia Beach residents to remember a few basics, that will make life easier on you, your pet and your neighbors. "In heat," and rather than having unwanted puppies and kittens running around, precautions need to be taken.

If you can't ensure that your pet will not escape the house unescorted for some fun and frolic with the neighborhood canines or felines, you should have your pet neutered or spayed. In seven years, the potential population of a single unspayed female dog is 4,372 offspring.

In four years, a pair of cats can produce as many as 20,736 offspring.

According to local experts, the best time to spay a cat or dog is before she has her first heat. Some recommend spaying and neutering cats and dogs before the age of 6 months.

For those pets that are spayed and neutered, taking them outside still requires extra attention.

Fleas and ticks have a field day in long grass, especially in overgrown grass.

A flea and tick collar is the most obvious choice to prevent your pet from picking up unwanted pests, but fur should still be checked.

Getting rid of fleas can be difficult once they get into your home, so giving Fido a bath when you see that first flea can be vital to everyone's comfort.

Although cats are traditionally supposed to hate water, a tiny kitten can get used to it, so it won't be impossible to bathe your cat when he or she gets older.

For those who prefer not to do it at home, though, the phone book is loaded with options for pet boutiques and veterinarians.

Having a pet and letting it enjoy the fresh air every day is important, but it needs to be done responsibly. — M.J.R.

Summer activities

Now that most children are out of school for the summer, Virginia Beach parents might be looking for ideas to help keep their children occupied during the hot days until vacation is over.

Going to the beach or the neighborhood pool might be fine for some, but there are many activities available.

For starters, the Virginia Beach Department of Parks and Recreation frequently sponsors activities and classes for children.

Check with the Virginia Beach library branch nearest you to find out about summer reading clubs and storybook hour.

Many local churches sponsor non-denominational day camp for kids, especially those with working parents that cannot afford regular day care.

For moms and dad at home for the summer with their children, coming up with ideas to keep little ones from being bored without frequently parking them in front of a television set can be a challenge.

Homemade art or busy work projects can be a fun way to spend time with your children. Anything from tempera fingerprinting to potato prints to planting beans in the garden can be fun.

Many children's and parents' magazines offer suggestions for activities. If you run out of your own ideas, pick one up. It might keep the summer from being a long, boring one. — M.J.R.

Another View

Perot, Perdue would be ugly ticket

There has been a lot of speculation as to who Ross Perot will select as his running mate for vice president.

After looking over the possibilities, and there are many, I have arrived at the conclusion that Frank Perdue, the chicken king, would be an ideal running mate for Perot.

Both Perot and Perdue started out with very little capital and their business ventures were so successful that both became millionaires. It is said that Perot is a billionaire.

In addition to their similar business successes, they also look alike. I have always thought that Frank Perdue looked a lot like the chickens he produces, but damned if he doesn't look like Ross Perot.



Note the large ears and large noses. Perdue's nose is a little sharper than Perot's, but they could pass as twins, maybe not identical, but twins nevertheless.

If elected, I don't have any idea what kind of leaders they would make, but one thing is for certain, they would be the ugliest president and vice president in the history of the United States.

Welcome to the real world.

The Real World

By B.J. Sessions, Virginia Beach Sun columnist.

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Visiting Ellis Island made us realize how much our ancestors sacrificed to start over in America

As we got into the ferry on the Hudson River, I looked at the massive city in front of us.

Building after building reached to the sky, and the beauty of it hardly revealed the daily rush that takes place in between the walls.

Slice of Life

By Melanie Beroth, a Newtown area resident and professional typesetter.

My friend, Cathy, and I spent our Memorial Day weekend as one of the many New York City tourists. In one day, we covered the Trump Towers, Macy's, FAO Swartz, Rockefeller Center and the Empire State building. Now, on the second day of our journey, we were heading over to Ellis Island and the Statue of Liberty.

A museum was recently opened at Ellis Island to honor the many immigrants that traveled to America on crowded boats in search of a new life.

The island, once a gateway to freedom, had been closed down and left to decay. No work was done on it

until they decided to open one of the buildings for exhibit.

As our ferry came closer, I was in awe of the rustic buildings packed on the little island.

Cathy and I walked into the main

As I looked at the faces of the people that had arrived from Germany, Russia and other troubled countries, I wondered if the immigrants had been happy with what they had found.

building intending to make our visit short and continue to the statue. However, as we looked at each exhibit, we suddenly became very interested in what our ancestors had gone through to get to this country.

After immigrants traveled the long distance across the ocean, they were required to wait for days sometimes to get "checked in" on the island. Each immigrant went through strict medical and mental testing before they were allowed to leave.

Often, if they didn't have enough

money with them or weren't physically well, they were put back on the boat and returned to the country they had just left.

As I looked at the faces of the people that had arrived from Germany, Russia and other troubled countries, I wondered if the immigrants had been happy with what they had found.

Even today, immigrants come into the United States daily to search for the prosperity and lifestyle they have dreamed about. I wonder if they are disappointed with how they find the "ideal" United States of America. Instead of becoming wealthy, many of them must be satisfied with pumping gas or washing dishes.

In America, we have the freedom to work where we want, go to school where we choose and get the education we have dreamed about. However, it doesn't always come easy. Dreams never do. We must work hard to achieve our dreams.

After seeing the faces of the immigrants and hearing their stories, I am grateful to my ancestors for risking their lives to come to America.

I hope that immigrants who arrive today will work hard to achieve what they have dreamed about. Not only do I hope they will prosper financially, I hope they will find the happiness and peace they are looking for.

Just A Chat with Rosa Edwards

Rosa Edwards is a physical education specialist at Alanton Elementary School. She organized and is in charge of the first male black culture club on the elementary school level.

Dr. George Graham, author and professor in the division of health and physical education at Virginia Tech in Blacksburg, will use videotaped portions of Edwards teaching, to illustrate teaching skills.

Name: Rosa Edwards.

Nickname: My husband calls me his "Sunshine."

Occupation: Physical education specialist.

Neighborhood: Bellwood Estate in Kempville.

Hometown: Hollywood, Florida.

How long have you lived in Norfolk: 18 years.

Last city you lived in before moving to Virginia Beach: Norfolk.

Age: 50 and holding.

Marital status: I'm blessed to be married to one of the sweetest, nicest, warmest, caring and sharing men on this planet - James E. Edwards.

Children: The joy of my life - Tammie and Stacy Edwards.

What you love about your job: Working with the children. When they walk into my classroom I look at each one as a precious piece of clay. Each day I try and mold them to be the best that they can be.

What you hate about your job: The lack of respect that teachers get. We often have a thankless job. We are blamed for almost every failure in society.

If you didn't have your current job, you would be as I would like to be in sports medicine and work for John Thompson, Georgetown University's basketball coach. I like his style. He cares about the person.

Biggest accomplishment in your life: Raising two fine, law abiding children. Both of my children have graduated from college. They are working and making a positive contribution to society.

Secret to success: Hard work and my faith in God.

If you could change one aspect of your life to make it better, what would it be? If I could, I would make all people care about each other. No one would ever go to bed hungry. All children would feel loved and wanted. There would be no child abuse.

What most people don't know about you is: I'm a marshmallow, tough on the outside and soft on the inside.

Best personality trait: I think that I have a great sense of humor and I never meet a stranger.

Worst personality trait: I do not have patience with people who are not organized. I give a lot and I expect a lot.

Pet peeve: People that don't follow through on what they say that they're going to do. If I say that I'm going to do something, you can bet your life on it.

If you had your life to live over again, what would you do differently? I don't think that I would do anything differently. I have lived a good life. I'm a good person. I treat people the way that I want to be treated. Of course, in my next life I will have the money to match my big heart.

If you won the lottery, what would you do with the money? I would take every unwanted and unloved child in this world. I would build a huge house with plenty of land, and we would enjoy the simple things of life. I dream this dream all of the time. Who knows, it might just happen. I'm a believer that dreams do come true.

Fun evening: A small party with good friends, good conversation, good food and good music.

Fun weekend: A trip to visit one of my children.

Dream vacation: Two weeks paid vacation anywhere in the world, as long as I don't have to fly to get there.

Favorite magazine: Ebony, Emerge, Essence.

I drive a: Volvo.



Dream car: Mercedes Benz.

Favorite sport: Nothing like a good football game. I like to curl up on the couch with a beautiful, warm fire going in the fireplace and watch the Dallas Cowboys beat the Washington Redskins.

Your favorite sports team: Dallas Cowboys, or any team that plays against the Washington Redskins.

Who do you most admire: My parents, Ocie and Annie Covin.

What do you like to do to relax after a hard day's work: Sit and watch my husband work in the yard, and I like to catch up on my reading during the summer when I'm out of school.

Your favorite food and drink: Seafood and a good glass of lemonade.

Food you hate the most: Asparagus.

Favorite restaurant: Ship's Cabin in Norfolk.

Favorite food to cook: I enjoy frying fresh spots (fish) for my family and friends.

Favorite television program: A Different World and BET News.

Favorite movie: The Five Heartbeats.

Your favorite type of music: Jazz and oldies but goodies.

Favorite entertainer: Oprah Winfrey and Bill Cosby.

Favorite article of clothing: Sweats.

The happiest time in your life, so far: Each one of my children's graduations from college.

If you were to become famous, what would you want to be famous for: Making this world a better place to live in. A real ambassador of love.

What is the most fun time you have had in the past week: At a banquet for the Alanton Black Male Culture Club. It was wonderful to see how the young men have matured and how they are developing cultural pride and self-esteem.

If you could pick just two of the following, which would you pick: brains, looks, a good personality or wealth? I can eliminate good looks right away, because I've seen some good looking fools. I can also eliminate money, because you can have money and no brains, a fool and his money is soon parted - I would choose brains and a good personality, because with a good brain you can get all of the others.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing the world: No jobs!

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing Virginia Beach: We need more African-American teachers in our school system, especially black male teachers in the elementary schools.

What do you like most about Virginia Beach: It's clean, friendly people, and my family and friends enjoy vacationing here.

If you could spend 10 minutes alone with the President George Bush, what would you talk about? I would talk about violence in our society and in our schools.

Off The Record

Elvis, old, Elvis, new, is still Elvis

Fat or skinny Elvis. Young or old Elvis? Which stamp will it be? That was the looming question by the U.S. Postal Service for what seems like forever.

Then, the answer was revealed in a highly publicized television debut.

Radio stations led their news casts with "And the winner is... the young and skinny Elvis stamp." Everybody was talking about it.

Well, I must say my life was hanging in the balance for a while, there. The suspense was killing me.

Okay, give the U.S. Postal Service a break. They didn't have to ask anybody's opinion on the issue.

But they didn't ask anyone's opinion on the "F" stamp, the ugly one with that flower on it, that keeps popping up on letters and packages.

Maybe the post offices have caught some slack over printing the "F" stamp for so long, that they decided to give people a choice. That was nice.

It seems people would prefer to remember Elvis Presley as a talented young musician and actor, rather than a man who encountered substance abuse problems.

Even when times are tough, people still care about what image accompanies their loan payments, love letters and birthday cards as they make their way from city to city through the mail system.

That says something for the American people. The Elvis stamp which they chose, is a positive image. That proves that somewhere, people are still being positive and upbeat when crime, the rough economy, political scandals and just plain negative news seems to plague us every day.

Even when times are tough, people still care about what image accompanies their loan payments, love letters and birthday cards as they make their way from city to city through the mail system.

Maybe there's hope for us after all. But maybe, just maybe, Elvis himself called the great postmaster of postmasters and begged him not to use the other picture for the stamp which portrays his image. Maybe he thought someone might recognize him.

Not.

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This summer, children are invited to read

This week's Sun article was written by Lisa Guhrke, Virginia Beach Education Association vice president.

As an elementary librarian, I am often asked to recommend summer reading. Virginia Beach city public schools has never really had a comprehensive list for summer reading suggestions, but we push pleasure reading whenever we get the opportunity.

The VBEA Report

Cheryl L. Tokoc, president of the Virginia Beach Education Association, studies has consistently shown that reading, and lots of it, really makes a difference in a child's academic performance. It doesn't even have to be "educational" material. Magazines, paperbacks, and even comic books emphasize the importance of the printed word. Many children like to read books when they have seen the movie version and report that they liked the book better. Studies show that children who are readers will tend to be adults who are readers. Adults who read are usually better educated about world events and are more committed to the community in which they live.

So where does a parent start? Use your public library. It's free and convenient and your kids will love it. The Virginia Beach public library system is sponsoring a summer reading club. The theme

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this year is the summer olympics, "Reach For It - Read!" Check it out right away. While you're there, you may want to start with some of the books that are 1992-93 Virginia Young Reader Nominations. Next fall students will be voting for their favorite books and authors from this list. Get your young reader on the right track this summer. Happy Reading!

The Virginia Young Readers Program, 1992-93 Young Reader Nominations, are:

Primary - *Ikotoni and the Boulder*, Paul Goble; *Just a Dream*, Chris Van Allsburg; *Possum Come-a-Knockin'*, Nancy VanLaan; *Principal's New Clothes*, Stephanie Calmeson; *Talking Eggs*, Robert D. San Souci; *Teammates*, Peter Goldenback; *True Story of the Three Little Pigs* by A Wolf, Jon Scieszka; *Where Butterflies Grow*, Joanne Ryder; *Where the Forest Meets the Sea*, Jeannie Baker; and *Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge*, Mem Fox.

Elementary - *Afternoon of the Elves*, Janet Taylor Lisie; *Aida*, Leontyne Price; *Canada Geese Quilt*, Natalie Kinsey-Warnock; *Exploring the Titanic*, Robert Ballard; *Grasshopper Summer*, Ann Turner; *Martin's Mice*, Dick King-Smith; *Muggle Maggie*,

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Perot: Palliative or prescription?

We the People believe the nation is desperately ill and needs reviving. We see few signs of recovery, and have waited eagerly for the president and Congress to operate or take stern measures to resuscitate the ailing patient.

During the primaries, the American people sent many messages

that they were unhappy with the deteriorating state of affairs. But the nation continued sinking deeper into debt with no salvation on the horizon. The Democratic and Republican candidates for president seemed more intent on attacking each other than in proffering strong medicine.

Then H. Ross Perot made a conditional offer to run for president if We the People demonstrated we wanted him by putting

his name on the ballot in 50 states. He even promised to run a world class campaign which he would fund himself, and, if elected, would not seek a salary. Shades of Washington, who declined a salary but had this expense paid.

The response to Perot's suggestion was overwhelming. Over 10,000 citizens in Virginia Beach have signed petitions to put his name on the ballot. Only 14,000

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Lil's Quill

Lillian Youell, board member, Virginia Consortium for Law-Related Education.

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Virginia Beach Sports Club names scholarship winners

The Virginia Beach Sports Club has announced the winners of its 1992 scholarship awards. The sport club, which has own the years awarded 168 scholarships, totaling \$197,000, according to James A. Beasley, Jr., recently named this year's recipients of 1,500 scholarships. Scholarship recipients, their high school and college, seated left to right are: Heather Hoehlein, Cox, James Madison University; Ellie Bateman, Salem, University of Virginia; Julie Mason, Princess Anne, Mary Washington College; Heather Hopwood, First Colonial, University of

Michigan; Meredith Davis, First Colonial, University of Virginia; and Shannon Woods, Kempesville, University of Virginia. Standing: Steve Bloberger, Bayside, University of Virginia; Tom Goodnight, Kellam, Virginia Tech; Chuck Vion, Cox, Virginia Tech; Matt Audette, Cape Henry, Virginia Tech; Josh Muir, Green Run, University of Virginia; Joe Mitchell, Green Run, Lehigh University; Linh Nguyen, Bayside, University of Virginia; George Nolte, Princess Anne, Georgia Tech; and Danny Carlson, Kempesville, University of Virginia.

Target neighborhoods get attention

The Virginia Beach Community Development Corporation (VBDC) is receiving an innovative new affordable housing program.

This program, New Opportunities in Affordable Housing (NOAH), is designed to provide affordable housing while promoting self-sufficiency and independence for the residents.

The Mayor's Report
Mayor Meyer Oberdorfer



families. They are employed or receiving training and education to become employed. Residents also actively pursue self-sufficiency by

The NOAH project is a true example of the public and private sector working together.

fully participating in the supportive services. These services prepare the residents for eventual home ownership or self-sufficiency in the rental marketplace.

NOAH is not traditional subsidized housing. The rents are very affordable and attractive for the participants. Rents are only 30 percent of the residents' adjusted income. The houses are located in neighborhoods all over the city, in

townhouses, single-family and condominium units.

Families receive a variety of supportive services aimed at facilitating their goals of homeownership or market rentals. All residents work with a VBDC case manager to develop individual goal plans. From these goal plans, families receive individualized services that include employment counseling, budget and credit counseling, pre-purchase and

individual/family counseling. NOAH was the result of an application, sponsored by Virginia Beach Federal Savings Bank, to the federal Home Loan Bank's Affordable Housing program. The Federal Home Loan Bank provided \$1,100,000 in low interest rate financing for the VBDC to purchase at least 20 homes. The VBDC also received Section 8 rental vouchers and discounts on

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Virginia State Bar annual meeting set for the Cavalier

M.D. Wegbreit and C.F. Hicks will be recognized by VSB

By SARAH JANE WYATT
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

Martin D. Wegbreit, a staff attorney with Client Centered Legal Services in Southwest Virginia, will receive the Virginia State Bar's first Legal Aid Award.

Robert Hirshon, chair of the American Bar Association Standing Committee on Lawyers Public Service Responsibility, will present the award.

The presentation will take place during a luncheon on Friday, June 19 at 1:30 p.m. at the Original Cavalier Hotel on Atlantic Avenue as part of the Virginia State Bar Annual Meeting set for June 17 through 21. Attending the presentation will be members of the legal aid community, pro bono volunteers and bar leaders.

Throughout Wegbreit's 11 years as a legal services attorney in Castlewood, he has raised many issues of critical importance to the low income community. In *Cooper v. Taxwell Square Apartments*, Wegbreit confirmed the right of subsidized housing tenants to assert their due process claims in federal court.

In a 1984 class action suit, Wegbreit also stopped the Social Security Administration's "adversarial experiment," an arrangement under which an advocate could present the agency's case for denying a claimant's disability payments. In addition, Wegbreit has pioneered defenses which are now routinely employed nationally in defending FmHA foreclosures.

The award will be given annually to an outstanding Virginia legal aid attorney who exhibits innovation and creativity in advocacy and experience and excellence in service to low income clients.

Gloucester attorney C. Flippo Hicks will receive the sixth annual Tradition of Excellence Award from the Virginia State Bar (VSB) on Saturday, June 20 during the annual meeting.

Hicks, a Caroline County native has been in private practice in Gloucester since 1959. He served as VSB president during the 1990 through '91 bar year.

The award recognizes Hicks' dedication to activities and areas of benefit to general practitioners. Hicks was an organizer and past chair of the general practice section of the VSB. He helped establish the highly successful "First Day in Practice" seminars produced annually by the general practice section for newly admitted and other Virginia attorneys. Additionally, he organized the section's "Lawyers Expo," a legal vendors' show, held each year during the VSB Annual Meeting.

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In spring of 1989 Hicks conducted an extensive campaign among the state's small firm and general practitioners, in the first statewide contested election for president-elect of the VSB. During the 51st annual meeting of the VSB, Hicks was elected president-elect and became president.

A resolution by the VSB General Practice Section Board of Governors stated, "Flip Hicks has had a distinguished legal career as a general practitioner and has been one of the most effective voices for the cause of general practitioners in Virginia."

Some of his many professional and civic achievements include:

- ✓ Chair, Special Committee to Establish a Legal Fellow Program for the VSB.
- ✓ Member, VSB Special Committee to Study Reducing Litigation Costs and Delays.
- ✓ Past president, Middle Peninsula Bar Association.
- ✓ Former assistant attorney general of Virginia.
- ✓ Author of "Litigation and the General Practitioner" and "The General Practitioner, the Family Lawyer."



Municipal employees help beautify Lynnhaven canal

Virginia Beach municipal volunteers recently cleaned up around Canal #2, in Lynnhaven. The canal has become a wildlife refuge and is being groomed to become a scenic

waterway. Above, Stacy and Kevin Hershberger did their part to help the effort.

Bar members to discuss "Dirty Laundry" at meeting

By GINA M. CALDWELL
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

"Dirty Laundry: The Mass Media's Reporting of Alleged Sexual Misconduct" will be the topic of a panel discussion during the Virginia State Bar's (VBS) 54th Annual Meeting, set for June 17 to 21 at the Cavalier, Oceanfront.

The program, sponsored by the VSB's Young Lawyers Conference, will be held on Saturday, June 20 at 9:45 a.m. in the Cavalier's Coral Reef Room.

A distinguished panel of journalists, a media analyst and those who deal with the press in its reporting of alleged sexual misconduct will discuss media coverage of recent incidents of alleged sexual misconduct.

Topics expected to be raised include the nonpolitical activities of figures such as Gary Hart and Bill Clinton, and whether a political candidate's private life is indeed private, or whether such purported conduct raises legitimate issues of

one's fitness to hold office. Discussion is also expected on the topic of televising sex crime trials such as those of William Kennedy Smith and Mike Tyson.

The panel members are: Jill Abramson, political and law reporter, The Wall Street Journal,

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Alternative work schedules on agenda

By GINA M. CALDWELL
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

"The Career/Family Tightrope: Alternative Work Schedules in the Family and the Firm and How to

Make Them Work" will be the focus of a program presented by the Virginia Commission on Women

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VIRGINIA STATE BAR MEMBERS AND GUESTS



54th Annual Meeting June 17 - 21, 1992

Alternative work schedules are on agenda

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and Minorities in the Legal System during the 54th Annual Meeting of the Virginia State Bar.

The program will be held on Friday 11 a.m. in Coral Rooms D and E of the Cavalier Oceanfront Hotel.

A panel of national and state bar leaders from the public and private sectors will address benefits and costs, both tangible and intangible, of alternative work schedules. The panel also will explore the realities and myths of this employment trend.

Featured speaker Roberta Cooper Ramo, a managing partner in the firm of Poole, Kelly & Ramo in Albuquerque, N.M., will discuss the concept of alternative work schedules (AWS) and its progress nationally. Ramo is former chair of the ABA Law Practice Management Section.

Leading the panel discussion on AWS and its impact in Virginia are Gail Stirling Marshall and William

D. Dolan, III, Marshall, deputy attorney general of the Judicial Affairs Division in Virginia, will describe the impact of the AWS in the public law office. Dolan, partner-in-charge of Venable, Baetjer & Howard in McLean, will explore the implementation of AWS in Virginia law firms.

Moderating the panel will be Sharon S. Goodwyn, a director of the Virginia Commission on Women and Minorities in the Legal System, as a representative of the Virginia Association of Black Women Attorneys.

The Virginia Commission on Women and Minorities in the Legal System was organized in 1986 to eradicate prejudice and discrimination in the legal system by educating members of the legal profession, the judiciary and the public, by promoting the fair administration of justice and by honoring the dignity of the individual, regardless of race, gender, creed or national origin.



Virginia Beach Sun staff photo

Watching, the world go by

This is what it's all about for many Virginia Beach residents and tourists - lounging on clean sand under a hot sun and taking a moment to watch the world go by.

Bar members to discuss "Dirty Laundry" at meeting

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Washington, D.C.

Earl Casey, vice president and managing editor, Cable News Network, Inc., Atlanta, Ga.

Edward W. Jones, managing editor, Free-Lance Star, chairman of Information Committee, Virginia Press Association, Fredericksburg, Va.

Ted J. Smith, III, Ph.D., associate professor and director of graduate studies, School of Mass Communications, Virginia Commonwealth University; media analyst.

John Hollister Stein, deputy director and director of public affairs, National Organization for Victim Assistance, Washington, D.C.

Hon. Jay B. Stephens, United States attorney, District of Columbia.

Moderator: David C. Kohler, deputy general counsel, Turner Broadcasting System, Atlanta, Ga.

The VSB, to which all lawyers practicing in Virginia must belong, regulates the legal profession, seeks to maintain high standards among Virginia lawyers and sponsors public service events which improve access to justice.

Parking permits required for certain sections of the resort

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Ann Henry, representing the Old Beach Civic League, said that variances on parking to businesses escalated the parking problem in the neighborhoods. She said that unregulated parking allows people to create their own bar. She said that the residents were exposed to loud, offensive language and threats made directly to the tax-paying residents. The street becomes a depository for trash and human waste and residents have about given up. She said that response time to complaints is slow, through no fault of the po-

lice, and now the people need the support of council.

Barbara Yates, who operates a bed and breakfast establishment at 24th Street and Pacific Avenue, said the parkers urinate in the flower beds, scream all night, and the residents have to endure the activities every weekend year round and every night during the season. Police patrols don't work, she said. She said that the tourists are not the culprits, that the business people are trying to operate wholesome businesses. She said that she receives negative comments about the parking from

Charles Gardner, hotel owner, said that the major problem is not primarily from local residents but from people in the Tidewater area.

In making the motion for approval of the ordinances, Vice Mayor Robert E. Fentress said that the ordinances should be evaluated

in a year. Councilwoman Reba McClanahan voted against the ordinances.

Mayor Meyera Oberndorf said that she wanted to be sure that the remarks are not intended to limit local visitors to the beach, that the Beach welcomes these visitors.

Lynnhaven AARP meeting set

The Lynnhaven Chapter of AARP will hold its next meeting on Wednesday, July 1 at 10 a.m. at the Great Neck Recreation Center on Shorehaven Drive.

Donniase Moose, owner of For-

ever Yours, will present the program. Moose specializes in air drying many kinds of fresh flowers which she uses in designing nosegays and miniature arrangements.

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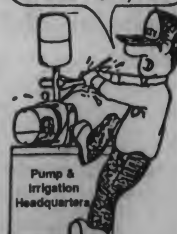
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Strawberry winners

By PETER M. FERNANDEZ
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The 1992 Pungo Strawberry Festival Cookoff took place recently on the center stage in Pungo. The finalists were determined by Johnson & Wales chefs at the preliminary judging at Johnson & Wales University. Each finalist prepared their items once again to be tasted by our celebrity panel of judges at the festival.

The celebrity panel of judges included Joe Flanagan of Channel 13 (WVEC) as master of ceremonies, Joan McCormick (freelance writer), Susan Mayo (director of public relations, Farm Fresh), and Susan Batten (Johnson & Wales instructor, television guest chef).

Each judge had the opportunity to taste the items and rate them on color, texture, flavor and eye appeal. Along with the celebrity judges, three volunteers were chosen from the crowd, rating each item to determine the winner of the "People's Choice" award.

Along with the following four categories for this year's Strawberry Cook-Off, pies, cakes, other strawberry desserts, strawberry specialties and other special awards were also presented, such as "Chef's Choice" and "People's Choice" award, in addition to plaques, ribbons and prize money in the amounts of \$75, \$50 and \$25 respectively, for first second and third prize winners.

The following is a list of the winners for the 1992 Strawberry Cook-Off:

Cakes: First place, Connie Weis, Virginia Beach, Pungo Pandora Cake; second place, Margaret Waldrop, Virginia Beach, Strawberry Avalanche; third place, Joseph Randall, Virginia Beach, Strawberry and Banana Tira.

Pies: First place, Robin Preattle, Norfolk, Strawberry Sweetheart Pie; second place, Diane Barry, Portsmouth, Pungo Grasshopper Pie; third place, Paul Davis, Virginia Beach, Strawberry Chocolate Trifle.

Strawberry specialties: First place, Fred Capers, Virginia Beach, Strawberry Sweet and Sour Pie; second place, Robin Preattle, Norfolk, Creme Aux Fraises; third place, Betty Schuchert, Virginia Beach, Strawberry-Cranberry Christmas Jam.

Chef's Choice Award: Robin Preattle, Norfolk.

People's Choice: Jeffrey Davis, Norfolk.

For further information call Johnson & Wales University at 853-3508 about the Pungo Strawberry Festival Cook-Off.



Irene Rhue

Rhue works to improve library's processing efficiency

By MARY ANN SHELTON
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

Have you ever heard of a "Renée Rhue roller?"

You will find such an item in Cataloging Services, at the Central Library, along with its inventor, Irene Rhue. She has been a volunteer for 33 years, and has logged over 1,250 hours in community services.

One of Rhue's duties involves putting labels on books and media which enables library patrons to find these materials. As Rhue worked with the massive collec-

tion, she saw a need for some type of label dispenser. The staff had already unsuccessfully searched stores and library supply catalogs.

In the fall of 1991, Rhue decided to do something positive to improve materials processing efficiency. She drew sketches of the ideal label dispenser and took them to her husband Burnley, who's a woodworking enthusiast. Together they created the label dispenser which looks like a paper towel roller. She wasn't pleased with the first dispenser, so back to the drawing board, a

few minor adjustments, and this time - perfection! Six more of them were needed and Burnley willingly obliged. The staff affectionately named it the "Renée Rhue Roller Label Dispenser."

"We are so grateful to Irene and her husband Burnley, and wonder how we ever functioned without Irene's helpful ways, and her label dispenser. Thanks just doesn't seem enough for two such wonderful citizens who give of themselves so freely for the good of our library," said Louise Fahey of the Cataloging Services staff.

City will spend \$73,891 on Sandbridge stairs

By LEE CAHILL

Virginia Beach Sun City Council Reporter

It will cost the city \$73,891 to replace 12 stairways to the beach at Sandbridge that were damaged beyond repair during winter storms. That is \$500 more per stairway than originally estimated.

Staff had proposed replacing only six stairways, alternating them so that one one would have to walk more than a block to the beach, for approximately \$30,000 which was appropriated by council on April 28. General Services is repairing 10 stairways and another five were undamaged. Another set will not be replaced because the bulkhead to which it was attached was destroyed.

When council appropriated the \$30,000, however, it instructed staff to get bids on all 12 stairways that needed to be replaced.

The low bid for all 12 came in at \$73,891 by Prime Construction Corporation, which has been

awarded the contract.

Sandbridge property owners had asked that all the stairways be replaced.

The stairways are being placed on pilings and are otherwise stronger and more complicated in design than the original stairways. As to comments that one local contractor

said he could do all 12 for approximately \$30,000, City Engineer Arthur Shaw said that that contractor did not submit a bid.

In the 9-1 vote, Councilwoman Nancy Parker dissented.

The stairways are expected to be completed by the end of the month.

Recreation facilities group studied

By LEE CAHILL

Virginia Beach Sun City Council Reporter

The city staff has been directed by City Council to study the feasibility of the creation by the city of a recreational facilities authority.

Such an authority was recommended in a task force study of golf courses in the city. The authority would have the power to issue bonds for the construction and improvement of projects, such as

convention centers, museums, and sports facilities.

Councilman Paul J. Lantegione, who with Councilman William D. Sessions Jr. requested the study, said that the city, as "the world's largest resort area," should enhance amenities. He said that he wants to learn of both the advantages and disadvantages of such an authority.

A city ordinance amendment adopted last week by City Council allows farmers to sell their produce, as well as jams and jellies made from the produce, on a piece of property which is not to have permanent toilet facilities on the property.

Specifically, the ordinance exempts such operations from the requirements pertaining to sales conducted on or adjacent to the public right of way.

Bill R. Miller named group's vice president

The Virginia Hospital and Travel Association has announced that William R. Miller, III, has been elected as the association's vice chairman - political action committee.

Miller is president of Miller Enterprises, Inc., and owner of the Duck-In restaurant on Shore Drive.

The group's immediate past chairman is Michael Savvides, president, Black Angus Restaurant, Virginia Beach.

"Beach Ball" event to help heart group

"Beach Ball on the Coast," to benefit The American Heart Association Tidewater Council, will be held on Saturday, June 20 at Fort Story.

Food, drink, music, dancing, prizes and games will be featured. Beach attire or "creative" black tie preferred.

Tickets are \$50 each. Call 671-8636 for more information.

Public schools participate in food program

Virginia Beach public schools' Office of Food Services will be participating in the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Summer Food Service Program from June 22 to August 13.

The program serves a free lunch to any child age 2 to 18 at the following elementary schools: W.T. Cooke, Seatons, Shelton Park, White Oaks, and Bettie F. Williams. The program is offered in conjunction with the city's Department of Parks and Recreation summer programs at the schools, but lunch service is not restricted to Parks and Recreation program participants.

If a child will be participating in lunch only, but not the Parks and Recreation program, the meal must be eaten on the school premises and the child's name must be called in by 9 a.m. the day of service to the School-Based Activities Center Unit at 471-5884.

Meals will be served at 11:07 a.m. at Seatons; 11:19 a.m. at Shelton Park; 11:32 a.m. at Cooke, 11:50 a.m. at Williams; and 12:29 p.m. at White Oaks.

Acceptance and participation requirements for the program and all activities are the same for all regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age or handicap, and there will be no discrimination in the course of the meal service.

Any person who believes he or she has been discriminated against in any USDA-related activity should write immediately to: Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service-USA, 3101 Park Center Drive, Alexandria, Virginia, 22302. For more information, contact the Office of Food Services at 427-4744.

Amateur radio operators to hold field day

By STEVE FINKLE

Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

During a 24-hour period beginning at 2 p.m. on Saturday June 27, thousands of amateur radio field stations in North America will be set up in an effort to test their ability to communicate with each other using emergency power.

The Virginia Beach Amateur Radio Club, Inc. will participate in this important traditional event and will operate its club station, WA4TGF, at Great Neck Park, located at 2513 Shorehaven Drive.

A short ceremony will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday June 27 at Great Neck Park to recognize the importance of the field day events. All licensed radio amateurs are invited to participate and the general public is invited to learn about the role of amateur radio in Virginia Beach.

There are more than 900 amateur radio operators in Virginia Beach who are licensed by the Federal Communications Commission.

More information about this event is available by calling 486-5360.

Monument to remember vets to be dedicated

In commemoration of the 50th anniversary of World War II, the Life-Saving Museum will dedicate a monument to the British sailors who perished aboard H.M.T. Kingston Caylonie and H.M.T. Bedfordshire on Saturday, June 10, at 11:30 a.m. at the site of the British sailors' graves, located at Oak Grove Baptist Church Cemetery, 691 Princess Anne Road.

Attending the ceremony will be museum board of directors members, museum staff, volunteers and various city officials. Rear Admiral A.P. Hoddinott, OBE, commander, British Navy staff, British naval attaché, Washington, D.C., and United Kingdom national liaison representative to SACLANT, will give a history of the two armed British trawlers, and will be accompanied by his wife.

Pastor Joseph E. Brewer, of Oak Grove Baptist Church, will give the invocation and benediction. RADM. Hoddinott will unveil the monument and place a wreath nearby. A bugler from the Atlantic Fleet Band will follow with "The Last Post."



Sharon Pratt

Sharon Pratt named president of student nurses

Sharon Pratt, a Kellam High School graduate, has been elected president of the 800-member Virginia Nursing Student Association. This is the first time a Sentara Norfolk General Hospital student has been named to the post.

Pratt is the daughter of Marilyn Morahan, a deputy city clerk for the city of Virginia Beach. They reside on Dawley Road in Pungo.

Pratt, who has a bachelor's degree in corporate finance from Old Dominion University, was also elected to the board of the state association. Elections took place at the 1992 spring convention in Richmond.

ABWA announce business associate event for June 23

Lighthouse Chapter of the American Business Women's Association (ABWA) will hold its annual business associate event on Tuesday, June 23 at 6 p.m., at Grand Affairs on Pleasure House Road.

The event honors the business associates and employers of ABWA members and provides an opportunity to learn about other fields, industries and positions.

Laura Coffey, news director of WWDE radio, will be the guest speaker.

As an educational association, the awarding of scholarships is one of ABWA's key programs. Lighthouse Chapter will award scholarships totaling \$1,200 to three women this year.

For additional information about ABWA and Lighthouse Chapter, contact Carmen Lee, membership chairman at 721-2115.

Police seek help in theft of over \$30,000 in goods

Virginia Beach detectives are asking for the community's help solving a break-in that occurred at the S.M.S. Mechanical Contractors in the 5700 block of Arrowhead Drive.

Between Friday, Feb. 7 and Saturday, Feb. 8, 1992, thieves climbed over a fence in the rear of the building. A hole was then cut in a heating vent which led to the manufacturing area. The thieves then went into several offices, taking seven computer systems, along with a fax machine. The computer equipment taken has been estimated in value at over \$30,000.

If anyone has information on this break-in or any other crime, call Crime Solvers day or night at 427-0000. Callers can receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000 without giving their name or testifying in court.

Lynnhaven House to host re-enactment

Historic Lynnhaven House will host "Seventeenth Century Court Days" reenacted by the Company of the James Fort on Saturday, June 20 from noon to 4 p.m.

Actors will recreate events that actually took place as recorded in the County Minute Book of Princess Anne County.

Visitors are often drafted for support roles in the "Living History Presentation." Costumed Deacons will lead tours through the house and grounds.

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Virginia Beach Sun staff photo

What a sight

Virginia Beach's Atlantic Avenue looks much cleaner and neater following the city's efforts to beautify the well-trodden area.

Anne Meek named as superintendent's assistant

By CATHY WALSH
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

Dr. Anne Meek has been named as special assistant to the superintendent for the Virginia Beach public schools.

Meek is currently director of publications for The Child Development Project of the

Developmental Studies Center in San Ramon, Calif. She is a former managing editor of *Educational Leadership*, an award-winning journal published by the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development.

Her career in public education includes stints as an elementary supervisor from 1979 to 1987 for the Knox County Schools, and as principal from 1976 to 1979 of the Bonny Kate Elementary School, both in Knoxville, Tenn. From 1965 to 1976, she held a variety of teaching positions in Memphis and Knoxville, Tenn.

"I am delighted that someone of Anne's national stature and breadth of experience is joining the Virginia Beach Public Schools," said Fayette. "She has an excellent understanding of educational issues and works well with people. I am confident she will greatly aid our efforts to advance academic excellence and establish shared decision making in Virginia Beach."

The special assistant's position was created in February as part of Fayette's reorganizational plan that results in a net reduction of 25 positions in the central administration, effective July 1.

Meek will serve as the superintendent's liaison with staff, media, and the School Board; will oversee special projects with emphasis on restructuring, strategic plan implementation, and matters of protocol; and will coordinate public relations, publications, and media contacts.

Meek holds Doctor of Education and Master of Science degrees from the University of Tennessee at Knoxville, and a bachelor's degree from the University of Tennessee at Martin.

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 12th day of June, 1992.

In re: Name change of Ronald McKinley Shifflett, infant.

By: Lynn Marie Curtis, his natural mother, Petitioner.

To: Paul Shifflett, 625 Chain Street, Norristown, Pennsylvania 19401

IN CHANCERY
#Ch92-1848

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
This day came Lynn Marie Curtis, Petitioner and represented that the object of this proceeding is to the effect name change of the above named infant Ronald McKinley Shifflett, by Lynn Marie Curtis,

his natural mother, and affidavit having been made and filed that Paul Shifflett, a natural parent of said child is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being: 625 Chain Street, Norristown, Pennsylvania 19401.

It is therefore Ordered that the said Paul Shifflett appear before this Court within ten (10) days after publication of this Order and indicate his attitude toward the proposed name change, or otherwise do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A copy testee:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones, D.C.
Willcox & Savage
Attorneys at Law
1800 Sovern Center
Norfolk, Virginia 23510

25-3
417-8VB5

Public Notice

Take notice, that on June 24, 1992 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., at the premises of 4753 Virginia Beach Boulevard, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash only, reserving the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1982 PONTIAC 6000
VIN: 2G2AG19X6C1512185

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116-17VB5

Public Notice

Take notice, that on June 24, 1992 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., at the premises of 4753 Virginia Beach Boulevard, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash only, reserving the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1984 MERCURY TOPAZ GS
VIN: 2MEBP75R4EB636381

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116-17VB5

Public Notice

Take notice that on 6-18-92, at 10:00 AM, at the premises of 4747 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself, the right to bid, the following motor vehicle.

1981 Ford Escort
Serial #FABP826BT220257
BAYSIDE MOTORS

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116-17VB5

Public Notice

Take notice that on 6-18-92, at 10:00 AM, at the premises of 4747 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself, the right to bid, the following motor vehicle.

1987 Ford Taurus S/W
Serial #AFAP55UGHG163659
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Public Notice

Auction: 1978 Chrysler Cordoba #5898

Serial #SS22NR824153
Auction date: June 30, 1992

Time: 11:00 a.m. at Norfolk Motor Company, 7000 N. Military Hwy., Norfolk, Virginia 23518. Norfolk Motor Company Reserves the right to Bid.

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116-17VB5

Public Notice

Take notice, that on June 22, 1992 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., at the premises of 4753 Virginia Beach Boulevard, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash only, reserving the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1986 DODGE COLT
VIN: JB3BA26K0G143691

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116-17VB5

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 29th day of May, 1992.

Lisa Butler, Plaintiff, against Randy Butler, Defendant.

Docket #CH92-1175

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce, a vinculo matrimonii and sole custody of Tamara Caason from the said defendant, upon the grounds of having lived separate and apart for more than one year.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being 533 W. Walnut Street, Allentown, Pa. 18019.

It is therefore that Randy Butler do appear on or before the 20th of July, 1992, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A copy—Testee:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones, D.C.
K. Reed Mayo, p.q.
P.O. Box 3889
Norfolk, VA 23514
625-5501

24-6
417-1VB5

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 29th day of May, 1992.

In re: Adoption of John Stever to be known as John Holman

By: Larry Allan Holman and Lisa Burek Holman, Petitioners

To: Andrew James Stever, 684 White Cedar Road, Toms River, New Jersey 08753

IN CHANCERY#92-110

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

This day came Larry Allan Holman and Lisa Burek Holman, Petitioners, and represented that the object of this proceeding is to effect

the adoption of the above named infant John Stever, by Larry Allan and Lisa Burek Holman, husband and wife, and affidavit having been made and filed that Andrew James Stever, a natural parent of said child, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being: 684 White Cedar Road, Toms River, New Jersey 08753.

It is therefore Ordered that the said Andrew James Stever appear before this Court within ten (10) days after publication of this Order and indicate his attitude toward the proposed adoption, or otherwise do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A copy testee:

J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones, D.C.
Theodore A. Boyce, p.q.
2648 Virginia Beach Blvd.
Virginia Beach, Va. 23452

24-5
417-1VB5

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 3rd day of June, 1992.

In re: Adoption of Katelyn Danyale Bowman

By: Sandra Rose Compton and Donald Floyd Compton, Petitioners

To: James McCraw, 4629 Hillside Drive, Louisville, Kentucky 40216

IN CHANCERY#CA92-92

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

This day came Sandra Rose Compton and Donald Floyd Compton, Petitioners, and represented that the object of this proceeding is to effect the adoption of the above named infant Katelyn Danyale Bowman, by Donald Floyd and Sandra Rose Compton, husband and wife, and affidavit having been made and filed that James McCraw, a natural parent of said child, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being: 4629 Hillside Drive, Louisville, Kentucky 40216, due diligence having been made by and on behalf of the petitioners herein to ascertain what city or county the natural father is in, without effect.

It is therefore Ordered that the said James McCraw appear before this Court within ten (10) days after publication of this Order and indicate his attitude toward the proposed adoption, or otherwise do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A copy testee:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Rhonda V. Tynes, D.C.
John D. Hooker, Jr. p.q.
P.O. Box 968
Virginia Beach, VA 23451-0968
(804) 425-9977

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417-1VB5

Public Notice

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To: Andrew James Stever, 684 White Cedar Road, Toms River, New Jersey 08753

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the adoption of the above named infant John Stever, by Larry Allan and Lisa Burek Holman, husband and wife, and affidavit having been made and filed that Andrew James Stever, a natural parent of said child, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being: 684 White Cedar Road, Toms River, New Jersey 08753.

It is therefore Ordered that the said Andrew James Stever appear before this Court within ten (10) days after publication of this Order and indicate his attitude toward the proposed adoption, or otherwise do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A copy testee:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
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Public Notice

VIRGINIA Beach City Council will hold a PUBLIC HEARING at its Formal Session, Tuesday, June 23, 1992, at 6:00 PM, to RECONSIDER Condition No. 4 in the April 28, 1992, approved application of MOST REVEREND WALTER F. SULLIVAN, BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE OF RICHMOND for a Conditional Use Permit for a Catholic high school on the East side of Princess Anne Road (KEMPSTONVILLE BOROUGH).

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Beach Clinton camp is waiting for convention

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congressional district's budget, according to Geroe, is very small and not a factor in the local presidential campaign.

Using signs, bumper stickers, literature and other items furnished by the state and national campaign, Geroe plans to appeal to the 600,000 registered voters in the second congressional district. Last November, there were 148,000 voters registered in Virginia Beach.

Geroe said that, historically, Virginia Beach residents have a tendency to vote for the candidate, and the issues they stand for.

"Frankly speaking, there's a history of splitting the ticket, whether councilmanic, state legislative or presidential," said Geroe. "They have a habit of looking at the candidate, not the party."

Geroe said that when the local campaigns get moving in the fall,

Clinton will need to focus on getting his message out to voters. Geroe, however, could not pinpoint an exact demographic target.

"Obviously, you're trying to get folks across the political designation," said Geroe.

He said the ages and occupations of Clinton volunteers and supporters are between their mid-20s and late 70s, and include lawyers, union members, carpenters and people from many walks of life.

Geroe said once Clinton gives his specific statements on issues at the national convention, he can focus on Virginia Beach residents and the local campaign.

"I think if we can get folks to focus on what people stand for and how they can change (the government) not just sound bytes and empty phrases, I think Clinton's got a shot."

Clinton in November will challenge President George Bush and likely Independent candidate, Ross Perot.

Boardwalk art show this weekend

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Proceeds from the show support education and exhibition programming for the Virginia Beach Society for the Arts, a non-profit organization.

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Can Perot solve U.S.'s problems?

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signatures are required by Virginia law, but a minimum of 200 must come from each of the 11 congressional districts.

Although Perot is still an undeclared candidate, the two parties and the media have been on the attack. He has been criticized for "trying to buy the presidency," for having a small stature and big ears. He has been called the billionaire, a wild card, a Texas cowboy, an action junkie, a real pro, a paradox. It is pointed out that Perot has never held an elected office, and this is not an experienced politician. Some say this may be a plus.

No one can deny that he has been a successful businessman, so he should know how to stop the nation's major hemorrhage - the enormous national debt, which is draining us to the brink of bankruptcy. But success in business is not enough according to one columnist, who observed that President Carter was a successful businessman, but failed as a president, while President Truman failed as a businessman and succeeded as president!

Third party candidates have never been successful in a presidential election, but Perot is not a third party candidate. He is a true independent, owing no political alliance. He has no party and no intention of forming one. He is, in short, a phenomenon - a one man party.

Will Perot, if elected president, be merely a palliative - someone to "ease without curing" the nation's ills? Or, could he become the right prescription to solve America's many problems?

NOAH is example of public and private unity

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the sales price from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Housing rehabilitation loan funds from the State Department of Housing and Community Development were provided through the city's Department of Housing and Neighborhood Preservation.

The NOAH project is a true example of the public and private sector working together. The VHCDC, assisted by Virginia Beach Federal Savings Bank, the federal Home Loan Bank, the Virginia Beach Department of Housing and Neighborhood Preservation, the state's Department of Housing and Community Development, Virginia Housing Development Authority and U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, is providing a new start to twenty previously homeless families.

This article was compiled through the courtesy of Andrew Friedman, Housing and Neighborhood Preservation, city of Virginia Beach.

Children are invited to read this summer

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Beverly Cleary; *Seeing Earth From Space*; Patricia Lauber; *Sinker From Space*; Pamela F. Service; and *Time Tree*, Enid Richemont.

Middle School - *Dealing With Dragons*, Patricia C. Wrede; *Libby on Wednesday*, Zilpha Keatley Snyder; *Lyddie*, Katherine Paterson; *Maniac Magee*, Jerry Spinelli; *Shabanu: Daughter of the Wind*, Suzanne Fisher Staples; *Show Me the Evidence*, Alice Ferguson; *Silver Maser Norma Fox*, K. Skeeter Smith; *The Confessions of Charlotte*, Avi Doyle; and *Weasel*, Cynthia DeFelice.

High School - *Dixie Storms*, Barbara Hall; *Looking for Home*, Jean Ferris; *Party's Over*, Caroline B. Cooney; *Plague Year*, Stephanie S. Tolan; *Pocket Change*, Kathryn Jensen; *Road to Memphis*, Mildred D. Taylor; *Shadow Brothers*, A.E. Cannon; *Tamara, the Star Runner*, S.E. Hinton; *Time of the Cranes*, Norma Johnston; and *Wolf by the Ears*, Ann Rinaldi.

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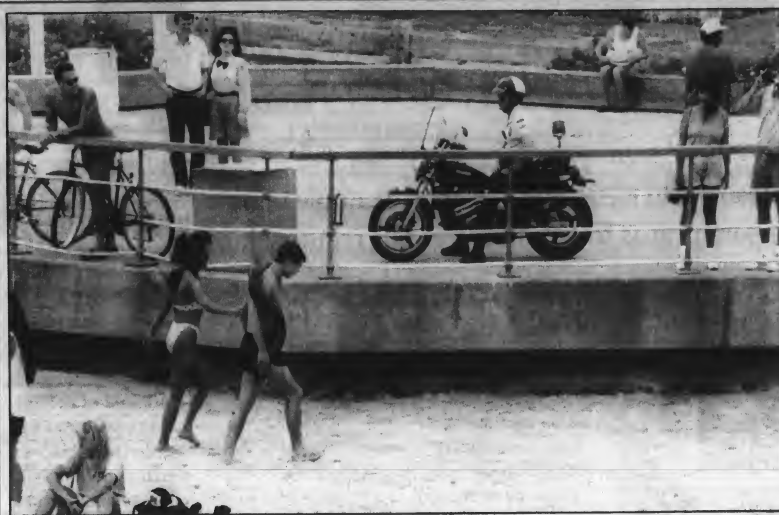
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Pets, including snakes, not allowed on the beach

Pets of all kinds, including dogs, cats, McCaws, hamsters, lizards or snakes, are prohibited on Virginia Beach's public beaches from Rudee Inlet to 42nd Street from 6 p.m., Memorial Day, to 6 p.m., Labor Day.

Neither are pets allowed on the boardwalk or the grassy knolls west of it. Pets are allowed on Atlantic Avenue. Virginia Beach Police Department spokesman, Lewis Thurston, said reports of pets on the beach are few and no arrests have been made. The crime is a Class 4 misdemeanor, punishable by a small fine and no jail time.



The police officer watches the man and snake leave the area.

Endowed professorship honoring VWC president Lambuth M. Clarke set

Clarke set to retire in July

By MARY S. BRUNER
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The establishment of The Lambuth M. Clarke Endowed Professorship in English has been announced at Virginia Wesleyan College by Jerry G. Bray Jr., a local judge and chairman of the Virginia Wesleyan Board of Trustees.

The college's first endowed chair has been made possible by contributions of \$500,000 from individuals, businesses, foundations, church and civic groups honoring Lambuth M. Clarke, who will complete 44 years of service in higher education as he retires on July 31.

Before coming to Virginia Wesleyan in 1966, Clarke, who has academic degrees from Randolph-Macon College and Johns Hopkins University, spent 18 years at Randolph-Macon in Ashland, Va., where he served as instructor in English, assistant to the president and as vice president for development. Clarke was selected as a member of both Phi Beta Kappa and Omicron Delta Kappa honorary fraternities during his years of college and university education.

In announcing the professorship, Bray said, "One of the greatest needs for independent colleges is increased endowment resources." He added that the endowed chair is an appropriate way of recognizing Clarke, who, during his administration of 26 years at Virginia Wesleyan, emphasized the



Clarke

importance of a strong teaching faculty. Bray also said, "The endowment will help continue this emphasis, while honoring a man who has given so much to Virginia Wesleyan College and has made significant contributions to the

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Optimists to present "People"

By DIANE MOORE
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The Bayside Optimist Club and Operation Smile will present "Up With People" to perform two exciting, uplifting shows on Wednesday, July 1 and Thursday, July 2 at 8 p.m. at Chrysler Hall.

Tickets are available at all Crestar Banks. Admission is \$12 for adults and \$10 for students.

Patron tickets can be purchased from the Bayside Optimist Club at \$25 per ticket. Patron ticket holders benefit in several ways. Seating has been reserved for the patrons in the dress circle area of Chrysler Hall. Before the shows, patrons are specially invited to attend a "Meet the Cast" reception in which you can

\$7.3 million Ramada Inn "terminated" from chain

Oceanfront hotel's future up in the air

By M.J. RICHARDS
Virginia Beach Sun Staff Writer

The parking lot at the Ramada Inn at 6th Street and Atlantic Avenue at the Oceanfront is vacant, although the summer tourist season is in full swing.

The doors are locked up tight, and the beach behind the hotel is empty, except for people wandering by at the water's edge.

The hotel was "terminated from the chain" of 589 hotels in early January, according to Fran Poole, a spokesperson for Ramada Hotels in the Parsippany, N.J., corporate office. It was one of two of their hotels at the Oceanfront. The other is at 57th Street.

Although the reasons for the hotel closing down and clearing out in early spring are not confirmed, financial problems are suspected.

Michael Savvides, a Virginia Beach resident who ran the hotel and is part-owner of the Black Angus Restaurant on Atlantic Avenue, had no comment on the matter.

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The land on which the Ramada rests was assessed at \$3.6 million. The building, \$2.7 million. Adjoining garage, \$1 million.

Richard P. Anioia, president of the Virginia Beach Hotel Motel Association and owner of the Windjammer Hotel at 19th Street at the Oceanfront, said Savvides and his group of investors were experiencing cashflow problems.

"From what I understand, they had apparently (used up) all the line of credits with the banks he had been dealing with, and needed a little more cash and had nowhere to turn," said Anioia.

The 305-square-foot property, according to the Virginia Beach Department of Assessments, was bought in 1964 by Ying and Nancy Mah. The building was built at least more than 15 years ago, but an exact date could not be determined. The land was assessed last year at \$3,660,000, with the building assessed at \$2,789,744. The adjoining garage, owned by trustee Shirley Lam, is estimated at \$1,021,180. There is no foreclosure listed on the property.

"Ying Mah - he owns the land," said Anioia. "Mr. Savvides and that group . . . they leased the land and built the hotel."

Anioia and others said that there have been some offers to buy the land, and some offers to buy the



The Ramada Inn at 6th Street and Atlantic Avenue is now closed indefinitely.

building from the bank or to negotiate a management of the building. "At this point, it looks like it is going to wind up vacant into most of the summer," said Anioia.

Anioia said that the value of the property assessed by the city is not necessarily the value for which the hotel would sell. The hotel will sell, therefore, "go for less than it is worth."

"As value increases and demand increases, the assessments go up," said Anioia. "As business decreases and value decreases, you don't see a decrease in assessment."

A few years ago, Savvides made several improvements to the hotel, including an expansion to the eighth floor hotel, from 100 to 167 rooms, an indoor pool and an addition to the conference area.

"From that expansion, I think began the troubled waters," said Anioia. "The expansion was good, the timing was wrong."

Anioia said Savvides began the

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Republicans organizing "Victory 1992"

Robertson says Bush win Virginia Beach

This is the third article in a three-part series on the local camps of the presidential election campaigns of President George Bush, a Republican, Democratic Party candidate Bill Clinton and undeclared Independent party candidate Ross Perot.

By M.J. RICHARDS
Virginia Beach Sun Staff Writer

Virginia Beach Republicans are beginning to organize a "Victory 1992" campaign for President George Bush and his vice-president running mate Dan Quayle in preparation for the November election.

Bush will face Democratic Party candidate and Arkansas Governor Bill Clinton, and possibly Independent Party potential candidate and Texas billionaire Ross Perot in the

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Up With People will perform on July 1, 2.

interface with the cast members on a personal level.

Patrons will be recognized as special contributors to this event, plus patrons have the satisfaction of knowing the money spent will support the worthwhile efforts of Operation Smile and the Bayside Optimist Club.

The two-hour musical show,

"Rhythm Of The World," is packed full of excitement and entertainment for the entire family. This show celebrates the diversity of cultures and ideas and is driven by the sights and sounds of current international music.

"Rhythm Of The World" takes

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Editorials

The Ramada Hotel closes

The Ramada Inn at 6th Street and Atlantic Avenue may be closed, but its looming vacant structure still raises many questions.

The ownership and management of the hotel did not want to discuss the matter, although many people may still be wondering "what really happened."

Some members of the Virginia Beach community, including some Virginia Beach officials, did not even know the hotel had closed.

Why not? Is it such a deep, dark secret?

Many people understand that money has been tight for businesses at the Oceanfront during the past year. It is no secret that fewer people took vacations in the fall, winter and spring. All one needed to do was drive down at Atlantic Avenue to notice there were fewer cars on the road than usual.

Some people who know the man that ran the Ramada said it has been a "difficult time" for him financially. Others added that after the hotel's business began a sharp decline, financial failure was inevitable.

Within the next few months, the hotel will probably be reopened under another name and will take the Ramada's place at the Oceanfront.

Not everyone can have success, and the downfall of this hotel may just be living proof. — M.J.R.

Turn off the air conditioner

With hot and sticky Virginia Beach weather, it might be tempting to flip on the air conditioner as soon as you get uncomfortable. But, wait.

Air conditioning may make you feel better after a few minutes, but there are alternatives.

Opening a window or door is usually a good way to get a breeze going through the room, so the hot air doesn't seem quite so stifling.

Purchasing a sturdy fan is also a good way to cool off. It may be a bit expensive for the initial investment, but it's much cheaper than adding air conditioning to your electric bill.

If you can only afford a small fan, don't despair. Just throw on some shorts or some cool clothes and grab a nice, tall cool drink.

If the heat is unbearable and you must turn the switch, try to keep it at a minimum.

Using it only during the hot days, and turning it off during cool summer nights saves energy and money. — M.J.R.

Father's Day

Did you forget Father's Day? Even if you did, it's not too late to give Dad a call and say hello. You might surprise him.

Normally, fathers don't seem to get uptight about belated greetings for birthdays and other holidays. Or, maybe they do, but they just don't show it.

It's better to call him a few days late or send him a gift after-the-fact, than to let him think he's been forgotten.

It's understandable to most people when life becomes hectic and things slip your mind, until you remember. Maybe you did try to reach him and couldn't.

Either way, it's always nice to feel like someone remembered you because you're special.

It's better late than never. — M.J.R.

Helicopter Sea Control Wing One ends an era in naval aviation

By LTJG B.H. STEWART AND NC1 W.R. HUTCHINSON, JR.

Nineteen years ago, the beginnings of the Light Airborne Multi-Purpose System (LAMPS) community was conceived and established in direct support of the United States' policy objective to deter the "cold war."

Today, another chapter in that continuing history ends. As part of the Navy's centralization and downsizing efforts, Helicopter Sea Control Wing ONE, commanded by Captain Loring B. "Nick" Nichols, USN, will be formally disestablished in a ceremony on Friday, June 26 at 9:30 a.m. in hangar LF-59 at the Norfolk Naval Air Station. Rear Admiral Roger L. Rich, Jr., chief of naval technical training, will be the guest speaker.

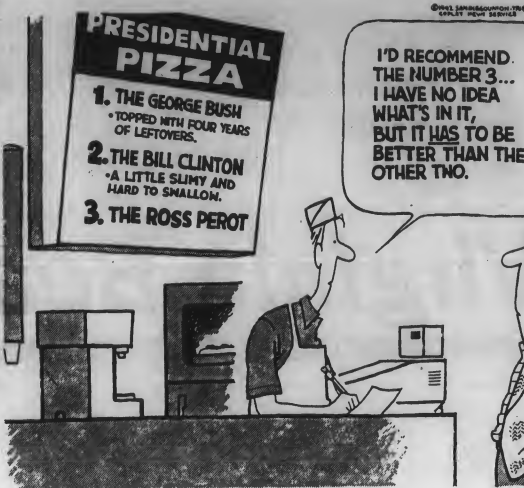
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Helicopter Sea Control Wing One has been the Air Wing charged with the training, administration and support of Atlantic Fleet LAMPS MK I squadrons. LAMPS is a quick reaction vehicle with the

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"Beauty and the Beast" is a good example of how important it is to be patient in our relationships

"Tale as old as time, true as it can be. Barely even friends, then some-

body bends un-

expectedly. Just a little change. Small, to say the least. Both a little scared, neither one prepared."

From the movie, *Beauty and the Beast*.

Slice of Life

By Melanie Bereth, a Newtown area resident and professional typesetter.

Finally went last week with several friends to see the latest in high tech animation - *Beauty and the Beast*.

In this story, the girl, Belle, is patiently waiting for and dreaming about her "Prince Charming." She won't settle for second best, even when the town "heartbreaker" wants to marry her.

The relationship between Belle and the Beast develops slowly as they get to know each other in a special way. By the time he turns

back into a prince, they have fallen deeply in love.

The attitude of today's society is so fast paced that we have forgotten the importance of being patient.

Our impatience has led us to relationships that are shallow and almost meaningless. Life would be so much more satisfying if we would stop and get to know the people around us.

While *Beauty and the Beast* is obviously a fictional story, its concept is one that would be good for us to embrace.

So many people today have lost their sense of appreciation, because it isn't hard anymore to get what we want or need. Even simple things like cooking a hamburger on the grill

is overtaken by a quick stop at McDonald's or taking a walk around the neighborhood is replaced with a short drive to the nearest movie theatre.

Not only have we grown indifferent to simple things, our "on the go" mentality has even seeped into our relationships. Modern "conveniences" like answering machines are used to screen phone calls, important conversations are replaced with memos and instead of meetings, messages appear on computer screens.

Our impatience has led us to relationships that are shallow and almost meaningless. Life would be so much more satisfying if we would stop and get to know the people around us.

After a seed has been planted, it takes time to grow a beautiful flower. In order to have a good relationship, we also have to give it time to grow.

Even though the movie was fictional, Belle and the Beast took this precious time and used it to get to know the simple things about each other.

"Certain as the sun, rising in the east. Tale as old as time, song as old as rhyme, *Beauty and the Beast*."

Off The Record

Who gives a damn about Iran-Contra?

It is inconceivable to me that taxpayers' money is going to be expended on a group of special Iran-Contra Prosecutors to determine what former President Reagan knew about the arms-for-hostages swap.

The indictment last week of former Defense Secretary Casper Weinberger is an obvious play on the part of the Democrats to embarrass the Republicans in preparation for the up and coming presidential election.

Under normal circumstances the public would accept it as just that and forget it. But conditions in this country are not normal. We have anarchy in the streets, cities are being destroyed and unemployment and crime are on the rise. People are homeless and sick and with no insurance for medical care, many die. With all these more important problems facing our country, who gives a flip what a senile old man who is now out of office knew and when did he know it.

The Real World.

By B.J. Sessions, Virginia Beach Sun columnist.

Millions of dollars were spent by Congress to nail Oliver North and John Poin-dexter and all that was accomplished was that Oliver North became a national hero and Congress looked like a bunch of fools.

Millions of dollars were spent by Congress to nail Oliver North and John Poin-dexter and all that was accomplished was that Oliver North became a national hero and Congress looked like a bunch of fools. Now the taxpayers will be treated to another farce, and for what?

The millions that will be spent could be used to cloth and feed the poor, treat the sick, house the homeless and pay for research for a cure of cancer, AIDS and other catastrophic diseases.

In addition, some of that money could be spent to help retire the trillion dollar debt that hangs over the heads our children; but this will never happen as long as that fat-bellied bunch of idiots in Congress stay in office. This applies to both Democrats and Republicans alike and the sooner they are voted out of office the better. Who really gives a damn about the Iran-Contra affair? I don't.

Welcome to the real world.

Just A Chat with Shannon Holley

Shannon Holley was recently crowned Miss Virginia Beach. She will go on to compete in the Miss Virginia Pageant, held in July in Roanoke.

Holley said she is "ecstatic" about winning and was very surprised to have won, because she was also named swimsuit competition winner.

"I had assumed I didn't place," said Holley. "My mouth was wide open. I just didn't expect to win."

Holley said she is looking forward to competing for Miss Virginia, which she sees as a "once in a lifetime chance."

Name: Shannon Michelle Holley.

Nickname: Shan.

Occupation: Waitress at Cafe Iguaçu.

Neighborhood: Lynwood.

Hometown: Virginia Beach.

How long have you lived in Norfolk: My whole life.

Age: 22.

Marital status: Single, but engaged.

Children: None.

What you love about your job: Mike, Sr.; Mike, Jr.; and George - my three bosses.

What you hate about your job: When I'm bringing out food, I want to eat it all.

If you didn't have your current job, you would be:

Poor.

Biggest accomplishment in your life: Winning Miss Virginia Beach and finishing my college degree.

Secret to success: Believing in yourself.

If you could change one aspect of your life to make it better, what would it be: I would not procrastinate. What most people don't know about you is: I take life very seriously.

Best personality trait: I'm a people-person.

Worst personality trait: I worry. I stress.

Pet peeve: Driving down the road behind someone that has their blinker on, and they're not turning.

If you had your life to live over again, what would you do differently: Nothing.

If you won the lottery, what would you do with the money: Pay off my parents' debts for everything they've done for me. Then I'd invest.

Fun evening: Going out with Charlie, my fiancé, and friends to any night spots in Virginia Beach.

Fun weekend: Out in the boat and sun.

Dream vacation: A cruise to the Caribbean.

Favorite magazine: *Bottom Line*.

I drive a: White 1988 Honda CRX.

Dream car: A white convertible Corvette.

Favorite sport: To watch football.

Your favorite sports team: Washington Redskins.



Who do you most admire: My parents, Dean Holley and Jan Ainsley.

What do you like to do to relax after a hard day's work: Kick back, eat and read the paper or just relax.

Your favorite food and drink: Steamed shrimp with broccoli and hollandaise, and Diet Pepsi.

Food you hate the most: Fried calamari.

Favorite restaurant: Cafe Iguaçu and Il Giardino's, at 10th Street at the Oceanfront because that's where my fiancé proposed to me.

Favorite food to cook: Oriental stir-fry in a wok.

Favorite article of clothing: Accessories, earrings.

Favorite television program: *The Price Is Right*.

Favorite movie: *Basic Instinct*.

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What is the most fun time you have had in the past week: Getting ready for the Miss Virginia pageant.

If you could pick just two of the following, which would you pick: brains, looks, a good personality or wealth? Brains and a good personality.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing the world: Drugs.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing Virginia Beach: Building up around the Oceanfront.

What do you like most about Virginia Beach: The beach.

If you could spend 10 minutes alone with the President George Bush, what would you talk about?: Taxes.

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Has the melting pot boiled over?

Last month, troubling data was released from the 1990 Census. It reveals that America now has the largest foreign-born population in its history, and the number of non-English-speaking people has more than doubled in the past decade.

The Public School Census employed the same five categories for ethnicity and race used by the Bureau of the Census.



Lil's Quill

Lillian Youell, board member, Virginia Consortium for Low-Related Education. Japanese, Cambodians, Laotians, etc.), 5.5 percent.

Alexis de Tocqueville's melting pot analogy may or may not have been accurate. But in the past, American law, language, history and tradition helped blend immigrants from diverse backgrounds. Our Founding Fathers believed that by recognizing and respecting every man's natural rights, there would be a fundamental basis of unity.

Today, it seems, we are in the midst of a second American revolution or even a second Civil War! Instead of racial harmony, there is racial discord. Diversity, multiculturalism and group identity are stressed at the expense of things we have in common.

The new tendency is to treat people as members of racial, ethnic or gender groups, rather than as individuals. Antagonisms between groups, often divided already by history, language and culture, seem to be at the boiling point. Bias and prejudice are easy to trigger and hard to suppress.

Going fast is the concept of the melting pot where people come to shed their past in order to forge their future. Gone too is the emphasis on the American ideal that rights reside in the individual rather than with his social or ethnic class. Gone is the idea that all who

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come here can be assimilated by an open society that transforms disparate people into Americans.

More than 25 years ago, Major Alexander De Seversky, a naturalized citizen from Russia, made a prophetic statement. "The strength of our nation lies in its diversity of people; in the marvelous way they have adjusted themselves on to another into a perfect mosaic. That mosaic is cemented by mutual respect, mutual tolerance, a desire to recognize the virtues and talents of individuals without regard to their origins."

"But, by the same token, the most vulnerable phase of American life is that very mosaic. That is where we can be attacked by driving a wedge between groups by making artificial distinctions. . . . Such false issues are boring into the very foundations upon which our great nation is built."

In an article in *Times* last year, Antonio Hernandez, president and general counsel for the Mexican-American Legal Defense Fund, used a different analogy to describe America. "Unity is the completed puzzle, diversity the pieces of the puzzle. Until we recognize every piece, we cannot have true unity."

Still another analogy is given by the Reverend Jesse Jackson in an article entitled "The Fabric of a Nation," published in this month's *Modern Maturity*. "America is not like a blanket - one piece of cloth, the same color, the same texture, the same size. America is more like a quilt - many pieces, many colors, many sizes, all woven and held together by a common thread."

The growing diversity of our population makes the quest for that common thread all the more urgent.

P.S.: Up With People, founded by my brother, is one group which as worked for racial harmony all over the world for 25 years. See article elsewhere in the *Virginia Beach Sun* about their upcoming shows.



Waves of people

Warm weather and clear skies brought waves of people to the Virginia Beach Oceanfront last weekend.

The seven deadly "diseases"

Well, since I have not written about the status of Quality Management in the city in awhile, I think now is a good time to reiterate our city's commitment to this exciting leadership technique. For those of you who are unfamiliar with the Quality Management concept, let me provide you with a brief background.



The Mayor's Report

Mayor Jesse Oberdorf

Developed and taught to the Japanese by Dr. W. Edwards Deming, Quality Management is a leadership technique that uses employee ideas to continuously improve the work processes and quality of services provided by an organization.

Two critical components are the "Fourteen Points" and "Process Improvement Teams."

The Fourteen Points are as important to Quality Management as the 10 commandments are to the Bible. These critical points all have the central theme of knowing what your customer wants, having employees participate in the decision making process and improving (continuously) the work processes.

The window through which these principles are applied is the Process Improvement Team. This team problem-solving method is an exciting process in which employees tackle the challenges facing the city using the seven-step problem solving method and tools such as "Brainstorming" and "Statistical

Process Control." Because of the tight fiscal times in which Virginia Beach is operating, our city will be better able to provide quality services to our residents if we adopt an aggressive productivity campaign.

The "Seven Deadly Diseases" plague too many organizations and spread the germs of wasted resources, dissatisfied customers and low morale.

Today, I would like to talk about what Dr. Deming calls the "Seven Deadly Diseases," which unfortunately plague too many organizations and spread the germs of wasted resources, dissatisfied customers and low morale. These "Diseases" are outlined below:

- Lack of constancy of purpose - Of course, if an organization does not have a purpose, then it is doomed to failure. You might say that every organization has a purpose to produce a product/service and make a profit. But all too often, organizations lack the long-range planning to realize their goals. What Dr. Deming stresses is a real commitment to the state purpose of the organization in terms of dollars, time and human resources. Virginia Beach has developed administrative goals to establish a constancy of purpose for the organization.

- Emphasis on short-term profits - This point concerns Deming's criticism of organizations that are controlled by financial and legal wheeler-dealers who manipulate figures but who do not improve the value of the product or service that the organization produces. This pursuit of paper profits has diverted resources away from the challenging job of

improving work processes. Or, as Dr. Deming says about paper profits, "They give you a bigger piece. You take it from somebody else. It doesn't help society." What we really need to do is increase the size of the pie by adding value.

term goals, and these evaluations also build fear within employees. Instead, Dr. Deming believes that organizations should pay a fair market wage and have a gainsharing program in which employees can reap the benefits of significant productivity gains. This program, of course, should be coupled with employee feedback such as compelling an employee for doing a good job.

- Mobility of Top Management - Too many managers are preparing resumes and changing jobs. Dr. Deming says that "mobility from one company to another creates prima donnas for quick results." Needless to say, it is tough for any organization to really get to know its customers and workers if there is high turnover in management. Often, the main reason for this turnover is job dissatisfaction.

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What are the quality indicators for schools?

What are the indicators of quality for schools?

That was the question posed to 30 community leaders and educators by the Virginia Beach School Division as part of an effort to build a performance-based accountability system for the school division.



The VB EA Report

Cheryl L. Toke, president of the Virginia Beach Education Association. Members of the group spewed forth a plethora of criteria that might be used to indicate quality in a school and a school division. The group offered traditional yardsticks used to determine school effectiveness, such as achievement test results and SAT scores, and novel approaches such as student demonstrations of knowledge, skills and competence through academic competitions and performances.

The process used to identify indicators of quality was tedious, but it allowed all parties to advance every possible notion of what makes a quality school and how it might be measured. The group then scrubbed the list of duplications and indicators that could not be measured. The final product will measure inputs (i.e., number of teachers who have a master's degree, books in the library, class size ratio, etc.), throughputs or process (i.e., how many parents feel their children are getting a good education, professional treatment of teachers, the variety of instructional strategies used by teachers in a school, etc.)

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and outputs (i.e., number of students that succeed at higher levels of education and in the work place). Several indicators of quality focused on student citizenship and personal development. For example, the group reached consensus that a quality school involves its students in extracurricular

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activities including community service projects. Student department and absenteeism will also fit into the equation.

As in the revised strategic plan, emphasis was placed upon the role of parents in determining student academic success. The group felt that the level of direct parental/adult involvement in a child's education significantly improves student learning and consequently, could be used to determine a quality school. This notion puts schools in the position of doing more than lamenting the lack of parental involvement. School principals and faculty will be judged on their ability to increase parental involvement. To many, this seems an impossible task, yet without increased parental involvement, schools seem doomed to failure.

Can the indicators of quality be used fairly?

Indicators of quality, such as the degree of parental involvement and achievement test scores, pose fairness and equity problems for the school system. Both of these indicators of quality correlate closely with the socioeconomic status of the students who attend a school. Other factors being equal, schools where a preponderance of students live in poverty will have less parental involvement and lower achievement test scores than will schools with students from affluent neighborhoods. In this context, the principal and faculty in a school attended by poor children feel that it is unfair for their school to be evaluated and compared to a school with wealthy children. They have a good point.

In the past, it was understood and "accepted" that students in some schools would not do as well academically as students in other schools. As long as students in each school were given the same opportunity to learn (i.e. similar class

sizes, qualified teachers, the same textbooks and materials, adequate classroom space), the system was providing an equitable education. A new definition of equity is forming that suggests that true equity is providing the resources necessary so that all children achieve high academic standards.

The staff in some schools are going to have to spend a great deal of effort and time finding ways to increase parental involvement in student learning. These schools must be given additional resources; be it more staff, parent centers, parent incentive programs, additional communication methods, extended hours, child care programs, parenting classes or employer release time programs for parents to volunteer in school. With additional resources, these schools are placed on a more even playing field for accountability purposes.

Another way to allow the indicators of quality to be more useful is to measure gain or improvement in school quality. A school might survey students and parents and find that 88 percent feel that teachers in their school care about the academic success of their students. With the notion of continuous improvement, that same school would be indicating quality by improving its rating to 91 percent the next year. The system is also considering clusters of schools with students of similar demographic backgrounds.

In the final analysis, it appears that some excellent indicators of quality have been identified and can be used by the school division to hold students, parents, teachers, principals and the community in general accountable for academic performance. The hard part will be using these indicators so that schools can determine if they are making significant improvements in student learning without fear of unjustified ridicule or inappropriate comparisons.

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which adopting quality principles can help eliminate.

Running a Company on Visible Figures Alone ("Counting the Money"). Of course, some figures are very important in terms of operating an organization. You have to keep track of payroll and pay your bills and taxes. But Dr. Deming tells us that figures that are "unknown and unknowable" are even more important. For example, it is very difficult to put a "figure" on the value of a happy customer.

Excessive Medical Costs - Often, this can be a staggering cost to an organization. While a discussion of the issues is beyond the scope of this article, providing and paying for health care is an area with which our country needs to be quite

concerned.

Excessive Costs of Warranty - This is also controversial and two involved to go into detail here, but suffice it to say that the U.S. is the most litigious country in the world.

So, given the list above, quite a compelling case can be made to correct these. Obviously, this is easier said than done. Many of these are deeply embedded in our personal lives and throughout organizations. But, the quality principles can give an organization a framework within which it can increase employee participation and customer satisfaction; hence, Quality Management can help cure the "Seven Deadly Diseases."

This article was compiled through the courtesy of Paul Harris, research assistant, Office of Budget and Evaluation, city of Virginia Beach.



Virginia Beach Sun staff photo

The art show, as seen from afar.

This year's show one of the best ever

About 275,000 to 325,000 people attended the 37th Annual Boardwalk Art Show, held last weekend from 18th to 31st Street on the boardwalk.

Thirty-four awards were presented in the four-day show, and \$15,000 in prize money was given out, according to Peter Lawrence, development director, Virginia Beach Center for the Arts. The center sponsors the art show.

Best in show went to Mark Derbaremdikar, Newark, Del., for a porcelain tea set.

Financially, Lawrence said, this year's show was perhaps the most successful of them all. He said many first-time corporate sponsors contributed this year which should help earn the center more than the \$92,000 it earned last year from the show.

Next year's show is set for June 17 through 20.



Sculpture was represented at this year's show.



Ceramics potter James Chalkley talks about his work with some browsers.

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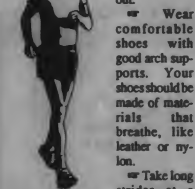
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Tips on making your walk a good workout

No matter how old you are or what shape you're in, there's an exercise that's right for you. Remember, regular exercise can improve your physical and mental health.

Walking, for example, is a good all-around exercise that can help you improve the strength and condition of your heart and lungs. Here are some tips to make your walk a workout.



steady pace. Hold your head erect, back straight and stomach flat. Point your toes straight ahead and let your arms swing loosely at your sides.

- Start a regular routine by walking every other day for about 15 minutes. Warm up by walking slowly

- for about five minutes, then faster for five minutes. Cool down by walking slowly for the last five.

- Listen to your body. Brisk walking should make your heart beat faster and your breathing deeper. Be sure to stop if you find yourself panting, feeling nauseous or unable to get your breathing back to normal within about 10 minutes.

- Gradually increase your distance and the length of your stride. In five weeks, you should be walking about a mile and be ready to increase the frequency of your walking to five times a week. Keep five minutes of slow walking at the beginning and end, but extend your brisk-walking period.

- Add time-and-distance goals to your walking sessions. After seven weeks, try walking a mile in 20 minutes. Next, increase your distance and stick to the 20-minute goal. A good goal to work up to (over a period of about 15 weeks) is walking three miles in 45 minutes.

- Remember good walking form. Land on the heel of your foot and move forward to spring off the ball. You'll tire or become sore more quickly if you walk only on the ball of your foot, or flatfooted.

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Stay or evacuate?

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If local authorities recommend evacuation, you should leave. Their advice is based on knowledge of the strength of the storm and its potential for death and destruction.

In general:

- ✓ If you live on the coastline or offshore islands, plan to leave.
- ✓ If you live in a mobile home, plan to leave.
- ✓ If you live near a river or in a flood plain, plan to leave.
- ✓ If you live on high ground, away from coastal beaches, consider staying.

In any case, the ultimate decision to stay or leave will be yours. Study the following list and carefully consider the factors involved - especially the items pertaining to storm surge.

At the beginning of hurricane season (June), make plans for action.

- ✓ Learn the storm surge history and elevation of your area.
- ✓ Learn safe routes inland.
- ✓ Learn locations of official shelters.
- ✓ Determine where to move your boat in an emergency.
- ✓ Trim back dead wood from trees.
- ✓ Check for loose rain gutters and down spouts.
- ✓ If shutters do not protect windows, stock boards to cover glass.

When a hurricane watch is issued for your area:

- ✓ Check often for official bulletins on radio, television or NOAA Weather Radio.
- ✓ Be sure car has plenty of fuel.
- ✓ Check mobile home tie-downs.
- ✓ Moor small craft or move to safe shelter.
- ✓ Stock up on canned provisions.

How to track a hurricane

Hurricane positions are always given in geographic coordinates known as degrees of latitude and longitude. Tenths of degrees will be given when appropriate. Each line on the chart represents one degree of latitude or longitude. When tenths of degrees are given, you must interpolate between degrees. Example: Hurricane Bob's position was reported as 32.4 degrees North Latitude and 64.7 degrees West Longitude. If you plotted correctly this position places Hurricane Bob directly over the island of Bermuda.



Keep this page handy and use the above tracking chart in the event of a hurricane.

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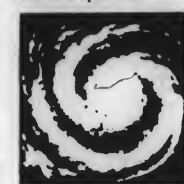
What is a hurricane?

A hurricane

Hurricanes are tropical cyclones in which winds reach constant speeds of 74 miles per hour or more, and blow in a large spiral around a relatively calm center - the eye of the hurricane. Every year, these violent storms bring destruction to coastlines and islands in their erratic paths.

Stated very simply, hurricanes are giant whirlwinds in which air moves on a large tightening spiral around a center of extreme low pressure, reaching maximum velocity in a circular band extending outward 20 or 30 miles from the rim of the eye.

This circulation is counterclockwise in the Northern hemisphere and clockwise in the Southern Hemisphere. Near the center, hurricane winds may gust to more than 200 miles per hour. The entire storm dominates the ocean surface and lower atmosphere over tens of thousands of square miles.



The eye

The eye, like the spiral structure of the storm, is unique to hurricanes. Here, winds are light and skies are clear or partly cloudy. But this calm is deceptive, bordered as it is by maximum force winds and torrential rains.

Many persons have been killed or injured when the calm eye lured them out of shelter, only to be caught in the maximum winds at the far side of the eye, where the wind blows from a direction opposite to that in the leading half of the storm.

The 1992 twenty-one most unwanted

Each year, a list of names for potential Atlantic hurricanes is released. The following is the list for 1992.

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Ramada Inn "Terminated" from chain

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expansion at the peak of the economic cycle, then ran into trouble as the economy weakened and business slowed down.

In addition, one of Savvides' largest financial backers merged to become a part of Nationsbank, just as Savvides needed it the most.

Anoia said what may have happened is that Savvides spoke to one person on one day, another person that next time and a third the following day, making it difficult to get a loan before he had to close his doors.

Winter is a difficult time for most businesses at the Oceanfront, and Anoia said being at the far southern end of the resort strip area has its disadvantages when most people have finished shopping or already booked a room by the time they reach 6th Street.

As part of the Ramada's franchise agreement, the 6th Street location was forced to remain open throughout the year and collect a certain amount for rooms regardless of the time of year.

People could not release the amount charged for rooms at this location.

During the winter, however, many hotels will drop prices as low as \$25, rather than the usual rate of nearly \$100 during prime summer months.

"Ramada is not one of the less expensive hotels," said Anoia. Savvides could probably not compete with the price of some hotels in the winter, when he desperately needed the business.

According to Anoia, the Ramada staff was most likely at "barebones" during the early winter months, but was probably cut even lower. Anoia has no idea how many were employed at the Ramada, but said they were probably absorbed into the local job market.

Anoia said that, judging from the type of man he is, Savvides probably informed his employees that the end was near, although the hotel closed abruptly.

RAMADA INN

The Ramada Inn Hotel at the intersection of 6th Street and Atlantic Avenue at the Oceanfront was terminated from the 589-hotel chain in January.

The property and building, including the adjoining garage complex, has an estimated value of \$7,470,924.

One local official said a few investors have looked into the purchase or management of the hotel, which was foreclosed upon and is now owned by Nationsbank.

However, no agreements have been made, and the building remains vacant.

People with reservations were "firmed out," or referred to other hotels, under some type of agreement, according to Anoia.

Although the building is vacant, Anoia said it probably has little effect on the surrounding hotels within close proximity to the Ramada.

"It might help the businesses in the immediate area right there, the couple blocks surrounding it," he said.

Anoia said that every day the building sits vacant, the investment becomes more expensive, and some work needs to be done inside the building before it can be opened.

"Every day is a tremendous falling off of trying to make it worthwhile," said Anoia. "Time is of the essence, if they're going to do something."

He also noted that the city may not like the idea of the vacant property, due to loss of tax revenue from sales.

The city may need to lien the property to collect property tax, although the owner is responsible for payment.

Mah and Lam could not be located for comment.



Virginia Beach Sun staff photo

This photo was taken less than 24 hours after the helicopter went down. It was taken from a pier owned by Chris Ford-Kelley, who lives in Forest Hills. The scene around there a day earlier was a "circus," he said.

Investigation continues into fatal crash

A naval investigation is continuing into the crash last week of a Norfolk-based RH-53D Sea Stallion helicopter. All seven men aboard were killed when it suddenly exploded and fell into Great Neck's Lynnhaven Bay on its way back to base in Norfolk after refueling at Oceana Air Station.

Investigation results are not expected for months. The waterway is open.



Forest Hills Court was closed while the media and civilian and military passed through.



Various personnel involved in the recovery mission anxiously stood on Lynnhaven Bay piers.

Republicans organizing

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presidential election.

Gordon Robertson, second district Republican Party chairman, is planning a meeting for an undetermined date in July to help increase the number of district supporters in Virginia Beach and parts of Norfolk.

Robertson said the kick-off luncheon will be a grass-roots planning meeting, followed by a rally in September which Bush is expected to attend.

Robertson said that Virginia Beach has voted Republican since 1968, which means "Bush has a very good chance of winning Virginia Beach."

Scott Maddrea, research director for the state Republican Party based in Richmond, said the Bush-Quayle campaign will be supported by the Victory 1992 campaign, although the state does its own fundraising for a straight Republican ticket.

Maddrea said that Bush appeals to a specific type of Virginia Beach resident. "Obviously, the first group he appeals to are your hardcore Republicans, the ones who call themselves Republicans, vote a straight ticket," said Maddrea. "They see a need for keeping a Republican government and see the difference between democrats and republicans. They see the need for keeping a Republican congress."

Maddrea characterized a second type of Bush supporters as "folks who may or may not call themselves Republicans, conservative people who appreciate the Republican philosophy of limited government." He said they are formerly known as "Reagan Democrats," a group of conservative Democrats that may identify themselves as Republican presidential candidate supporters who vote for Democrats on the state level.

Maddrea said that Virginia Beach has a unique population, which is good for the Bush campaign.

"Certainly one group we like in Virginia Beach is the military," said Maddrea. "You have a lot of folks involved in Operation Desert Storm and Operation Desert Shield who

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Maddrea said that although local support and curiosity for Perot is growing, he doesn't think it will continue to do so.

"We believe that by November, a number of curiosity-seekers will come back (to the Republican Party)," said Maddrea.

Maddrea said that history makes the point clear that "Democrats do not win the state of Virginia," and it is not as important as primary states or states that may "swing" to either party.

As a direct result, the state campaign fund for Bush in Virginia is low.

"It's substantially less than \$1 million," said Maddrea. "I would be surprised if it was a half million."

Maddrea said a typical local or state Republican Party headquarters, at this point in time, would consist of a staff person, some bumper stickers, a few yard signs and a small amount of literature.

Robertson said that the local Virginia Beach Republican Party headquarters is located on Virginia Beach Boulevard near Lynnhaven Parkway, but will not be active until the July meeting.

For more information call him at 622-4381.

1992 World Junior Frisbee Disc contest scheduled

By APRIL O'BRIEN
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

Twirling discs of plastics will be the only way to fly in the 1992 World Junior Frisbee disc contest on Saturday, June 27.

Boys and girls 15 years of age or younger will compete for certificates and prizes with qualifying scores advancing to the world qualifier level.

Competition begins at 11 a.m. at

Beach Garden Park, off Baltic Avenue, near Laskin Road.

For more information contact the Ocean Occasions office at 498-0215.

Francis Land House July 4 will be 8th century party

By VICKI R. HARVEY
Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The Francis Land House at 3131 Virginia Beach Boulevard will celebrate the birthday of our country with a grand 18th-century-style celebration on Saturday, July 4 from noon to 5 p.m.

Thrill to the sight of Signora Bella, the equilibrist, as she balances fearlessly on the slack wire; relive the exciting capture and demise of the heartless pirate, Blackbeard, at the 18th-century puppet theater; and drill with the militia captain and drummer.

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Tours of the Francis Land House and the exhibit "Newtown Uncovered: Pieces of Our Past" will also be offered.

Admission is \$2 for adults and \$1 for students, six to 18. Children under six are admitted free.

Family memberships to the Friends of the Francis Land House will be available for \$15. This membership entitles your family to free admission to the day's festivities, as well as the Francis Land

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One of the attractions at this year's American-Canadian Festival is the "Ramp Tramp Flying Circus."

Canadian-American festival is scheduled for July 11-26

Water craft races, lumberjacks, ski jump and more set

By APRIL O'BRIEN

Special to The Virginia Beach Sun

The Second Annual CAN-AM Festival will hit the Virginia Beach Oceanfront from July 11 to 26 in honor of our northern neighbors. Included in this year's events are music, exhibitions, sporting activities plus the existing activities for the summer.

On July 11 and 12, the Bad Light Jet Sports Tour, round 6, splashes the Virginia Beach Oceanfront between 29th and 32nd Streets with jet-powered watercraft races. The \$20,000 prize money will ensure participation from national champions and other professional racers. The viewing of the races, which begins each day at 11 a.m., is free. The race is scheduled to be shown on ESPN on Thursday, July 23 at 10:30 p.m.

Another happening for the first weekend of CAN-AM includes "Beachfest" at 24th Street Park, produced by the Virginia Beach Volunteer Rescue Squad (VBVRS). Beach music is the best to enjoy while eating and drinking in the sun and under the stars. "Fast Forward" begins playing at noon, followed by "Collin Out" who will play until 10 p.m. Admission is \$1 to benefit the VBVRS.

In a repeat performance from last year's CAN-AM, the Paul Bunyan Lumberjack Show will return to the sand at 24th Street from July 15 to 19. The not-so-usual-at-the-beach shows in pole climbing, log rolling, log carving and other lumberjack activities will be at 12, 2 and 4 p.m., with additional show at 10 a.m. on the weekend.

Also returning from last year, are the popular (and unique), ex-Canadian ski jump team in their "Ramp & Tramp Circus" from July 22 to 26. These daredevils set-up a ramp in the sand at 24th Street and perform stunts on snow skis and on trampolines. Show times are 12, 2 and 4 p.m., with an added 10 a.m. show on the weekend.

Other sporting events include volleyball on the beach in a tournament produced by the Tidewater Volleyball Association on July 11 and 12, the "Biggest-Bench-On-The-Beach" weightlifting competition Saturday, July 18; and the Victoria Skiboard Competition on July 24, 25 and 26. Volleyball will take place on the beach at the jetty from 8 a.m. until dusk. The weightlifting contest will be held at 24th Street Park from 12 to 5 p.m. (the competitors cracked the stage in last year's competition). Skiboarding will take place between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. on 15th Street.

Free musical entertainment is always available along the boardwalk from 7 to 9 p.m. at 14th, 20th and 24th Streets, and CAN-AM also includes the "Passport to History" trolley tour on Wednesdays and Fridays, in addition to the Oceana Naval Air Station tours.

An added highlight this year is a French-English translator at the Visitor Information Center from July 11 through 26 to assist the French Canadians in their knowledge of Virginia Beach and all the events taking place. Reports from the Department of Convention and Visitor Development indicate that 8 percent of Virginia Beach visitors in 1991 were Canadians. This festival of activities recognizes

their patronage and will, hopefully, alert area residents to the Canadian's presence.

The second annual CAN-AM Festival is produced by Ocean Oceans, the event's office in Virginia Beach. For more information, contact its office at 498-0215.

Mayor, council to get sworn in July 1

The Virginia Beach City Council will hold a special session on Wednesday, July 1 at 10 a.m. in City Council Chambers. The meeting's purpose is to elect the oath of office to Mayor Meyers Oberdorfer and city council members.

The public is invited.

The regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Virginia Beach will be held in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Princess Anne Station, Virginia Beach, Virginia, on Tuesday, July 7, 1992, at 2:00 p.m., at which time the following applications will be heard:

SUBDIVISION VARIANCE:
BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for H.A.V. Inc., James Arnold, Pres. Property is located at the northwest intersection of Northampton Boulevard and Jack Frost Road. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for ALOT Corporation. Property is located on Huckleberry Trail and Lillipond Lane. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:
PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

An Ordinance upon Application of Linda Chappel for a Conditional Use Permit for a recreational facility of an outdoor nature (golf driving range & accessory use) on the south side of London Bridge Road, 980 feet more or less west of Swamp Road. Said parcel is located at 1549 London Bridge Road and contains 17.68 acres or less. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

AMENDMENT:
PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

An Ordinance upon Application of Gayle R. & Jacqueline Rountree for a Conditional Use Permit for an animal hospital on property located 800 feet more or less south of Seaboard Road beginning at a point 2640 feet more or less west of Princess Anne Road. Said parcel is located at 2997 Seaboard Road and contains 60 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

PUNGO BOROUGH.

An Ordinance upon Application of David & Marcia Salmons for a Conditional Use Permit for a single family dwelling in the AG-2 Agricultural District on property located on the east side of Princess Anne Road, 350 feet more or less north of Poacher Court. Said parcel contains 3 acres. PUNGO BOROUGH.

THOSE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC INTERESTED IN ATTENDING THE PUBLIC HEARING SHOULD BE ADVISED THAT, FOR REASONS THE PLANNING COMMISSION DEEMS APPROPRIATE, CERTAIN ITEMS ON THE AGENDA MAY BE HEARD OUT OF ORDER AND THAT IT SHOULD NOT BE ASSUMED THAT THE ORDER LISTED BELOW WILL BE EXACTLY FOLLOWED DURING THE PUBLIC HEARING.

The staff reviews of some or all of the items on this agenda suggest that certain conditions be attached to approval by City Council. However, it should not be assumed that those conditions constitute all the conditions that will ultimately be attached to the project. Staff agencies may impose further conditions and requirements during ad-

ministrative of applicable city ordinances.

REGULAR AGENDA:
SUBDIVISION VARIANCE:

1. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for Jerry Pecoraro. Property is located at 2451 Potters Road. LYNNAVEN BOROUGH.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:

2. An Ordinance upon Application of George L. Kovacs, Jr., for a Conditional Use Permit for a single family dwelling in the Agricultural District on the east side of Blackwater Road, 1689 feet more or less south of Pungo Ferry Road. Said parcel contains 5.32 acres. BLACKWATER BOROUGH.

AMENDMENT:

3. An Ordinance upon Application of Shipmates Ltd., T/A Grand Rental Station for a Conditional Use Permit for motor vehicle rentals (trucks) on the southwest side of London Bridge Road, 160 feet northwest of Mansion Cross Lane. Said parcel is located at 2413 London Bridge Road and contains 3.33 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

AMENDMENT:

4. An Ordinance upon Application of Clinton E. Caffee, True Gospel Christian Church for a Conditional Use Permit for a church on the south side of Providence Road, 350 feet more or less east of the intersection with Indian River Road. Said parcel is located at 6059 Providence Road and contains 25,000 square feet. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

AMENDMENT:

5. An Ordinance upon Application of Indian River Golfcourse, Inc., for a Conditional Use Permit for a recreational facility of an outdoor nature (mini-golf) on the east side of S. Military Highway, 930 feet more or less south of Indian River Road. Said parcel is located at 920 South Military Highway and contains 18.5 acres. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

AMENDMENT:

6. An Ordinance upon Application of Christopher Ullman/East-West Foreign Car Service, Inc., for a Conditional Use Permit for an automobile service and repair establishment on Lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and Lots 17 through 20, Block 6, Virginia Beach Annex #2. Said parcel is located at 849 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains 28,314 square feet. VIRGINIA BEACH BOROUGH.

AMENDMENT:

7. An Ordinance upon Application of WILLAMCO Development Corporation for a Conditional Use Permit for filling a borrow pit on the east side of Barrs Road, 98.90 feet north of Evelyn Avenue. Said parcel is located at 1256 Barrs Road and contains 3.44 acres. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

AMENDMENT:

8. An Ordinance upon Application of The Church of St. Gregory The Great for a Conditional Use Permit for a church expansion on certain property located at 5345 Virginia Beach Boulevard. Said parcel contains 16.3 acres. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

AMENDMENT:

9. An Ordinance upon Application of Thelma Britt Harris for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from R-40 Residential District to R-40 Residential District on certain property located 620 feet north of Indian River Road, 3730 feet more or less west of West Neck Road. The proposed zoning classification change to R-40 Residential District is for single family residential land use at a density no greater than 0.8 dwelling units per acre. The Comprehensive Plan recommends use of this parcel for agricultural or residential land use consistent with the Plan policies for Transition Area II. Said parcel contains 9.7 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

AMENDMENT:

10. An Ordinance upon Application of Joseph Preziosi, Jr., Design Graphics, Inc., for a Conditional Change of Zoning District Classification from R-5D Residential Duplex District to O-1 Office District on the West side of N. Landstown Road, 400 feet more or less south of Monet Drive. The proposed zoning classification change is for office land use. The Comprehensive Plan designates this site for single family residential development with a density no greater than 3 dwelling units per acre. Said parcel is located at 1857 N. Landstown Road and contains 2.3 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

DEFERRED BY PLANNING COMMISSION ON 10/9/92:

11. Application of The Runnymede Corporation for the discontinuance, closure and abandonment of a portion of Walnut Street beginning at the northern boundary of South Boulevard and running in a northerly direction a distance of 40 feet more or less. Said parcel contains 2.901 square feet. LYNNAVEN BOROUGH.

STREET CLOSURE:
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The rally ran from about 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. This photo was taken about 2:30 p.m. Michael E. Rau said after the event

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Presidential hopeful probably coming to Williamsburg, not Virginia Beach

The skies were clear. The weather was hot, and everything was set up and ready last Sunday afternoon at Duck-In on Shore Drive for Ross Perot's first major fund-raising event in Virginia Beach.

Inside Politics

by GREG GOLDFARB

The rally went off fine, said Michael E. Rau, district media director for the local Perot camp. But questions have been raised as to the event's attendance figures.

Rau estimates there were about 1,500 attendees at the beach party. The Virginian-Pilot reported the next day, however, that only several people attended.

"Local campaign fund-raiser Christina Bublik said between 1,500 and 2,000 people were there. A police officer at the event estimated the crowd at several hundred," Virginian-Pilot staff writer Lynn Waltz wrote in her story. But, she put "about 300 showed up" in her first para-

graph. And the story's headline and subhead said, in part, "Turnout low... event was planned for several thousand."

Rau said Monday afternoon that the Associated Press ran a correction on the attendance figures. He said he had a call into the Norfolk-based newspaper's editor, but had not received a response. One local television station reported the attendance at 2,500.

"What really jacked all of us was the Pilot's ridiculously low attendance figure the writer used at the main attendance figure, Rau said. Rau said the police officer who gave the number should have been identified in the story.

Rau also said that, to his knowledge, if Waltz was at the event, she did not identify herself to any of his camp members.

Rau said Waltz and/or the Norfolk newspaper is guilty of "unseen motivation" in its reporting of the event.

Perot, who, if he officially declares his independent candidacy for president, will likely face Republican President George Bush

that original attendance projections were overly optimistic.



Virginia Beach Sun staff photo

The front gate, where \$10 tickets were collected and sold.

and Democrat Bill Clinton in the November election.

The Perot rally, Rau said, was the largest local one for a presidential candidate that he can remember.

There may be more future Virginia Beach activities for Perot, Rau said, but nothing definite has been set.

Perot is not expected to visit Virginia Beach, Rau said, but he may go to Williamsburg later this summer.

Rau said his camp has been instructed not to talk to Waltz.

About 1,300 advance \$10 tickets were sold, Rau said, and more were sold at the front gate. He said he expected the event to gross about \$15,000 to \$20,000 before expenses. Three-fourths of that will go to pay the bills, Rau said, and the remaining money is divided between the local and state Perot camps, with 80 percent going to the local effort and the remaining 20 percent to the state.

To some, resort restrictions make sense; to others, no

Some feel sorry for the tourists; others just don't understand

By M.J. RICHARDS
Virginia Beach Sun Staff Writer

The signs are posted everywhere. No cruising on Atlantic Avenue. No pets on the beach from Memorial Day through Labor Day. No skateboarding on the sidewalk on Atlantic Avenue.

The list goes on and on.

The Virginia Beach City Council recently passed or reinforced these and other ordinances in order to decrease the amount of traffic and beach congestion at the Oceanfront.

While some residents and tourists say they barely notice a difference because it does not affect them, others say there are too many rules.

The cruising ordinance, which prohibits vehicles from passing the same point on Atlantic Avenue more than twice within a three-hour period between 2 p.m. and 2 a.m. from April 15 to Sept. 30, is a prime example.

John Place, 34, of Kempville, said the cruising ordinance doesn't directly affect him or his two children.

"The cruising, I'm a little to old for that," he said.

He said that any changes in the ordinances at the beach don't seem to bother his children, John, 10, and Carrie, 8.

"No issue could get to them. They're oblivious to what's going on. They just want to play and boogie board," he said. "But I'm sure it will affect them when they

get older."

He said that he doesn't think new rules will have a negative influence on tourists, because they are implemented for a reason.

Frank Martin, 62, visiting from Allentown, Penn., agrees.

"It doesn't bother us," he said.

"As long as people follow the rules," Stephanie Sonmez, 13, and Michelle Beck, 14, from Arlington, Va., however don't like the new cruising ordinance.



An ordinance was passed, and signs went up announcing the ban.

"It bothers me," said Sonmez, who's here for two weeks. "It's fine, like regular laws. But, you're here to have fun and they're restricting everything. I mean, what's the beach for, but to have fun?"

Beck agreed, saying there is little entertainment for young people, except driving around.

"I think it's dumb," said Beck.

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This tent was located just south of the area pictured in the top photo of this box.

Cape Henry Women's Club's Sugar Plum Tree coming up in Lynnhaven

Set for July 8 to 14 at Lynnhaven Jr. High

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For 20 years, seniors have been bringing handmade afghans, blankets, baby clothes and furniture to the Sugar Plum Tree crafts show.

The show, sponsored by the Cape Henry Woman's Club, gives area senior citizens a chance to sell their handmade wares to the public during the week-long sale.

This year's Sugar Plum Tree will be held from Wednesday, July 8 through Tuesday, July 14 at Lynnhaven Junior High School on Bayne Drive.

"We do get some beautiful things - some afghans and quilts, some baby clothes, blankets, toys and baby items, said Dorothy Traub, a spokesperson for the Cape Henry Woman's Club and a former Sugar Plum Tree chair.

Last year 170 seniors brought in their items, which are accepted two days before the fair begins. Each item is tagged, priced and recorded, so records may be kept of exactly what was sold.

During the past 19 years, nearly \$341,000 has been earned by the seniors from the sale of their crafts.

Traub, 56, a Kings Grant resident, said that each senior brings usually a few hundred items. This year, the club has asked them to



The Sugar Plum Tree was held at Lynnhaven Junior High School.

limit items to 200 per person.

Traub said that there are so many items that many cannot be put out right away, but must wait in boxes until there is room for the woman's club volunteers to set them out.

The first day of the Sugar Plum Tree is, according to Traub, the most successful. She said most people come on the first day to get the most selection. Many people come looking for specific handmade

items which are brought in every year.

"(We have) several retired men doing some beautiful woodwork and small furniture," said Traub. She said quilt racks and wooden toys are very popular. "A lot of them have workshops set up in their garage and they enjoy doing it."

One woman who comes each year

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